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stroyed; Population Is
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Life Is Small But
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ims Unknown.

WIRE TO THE TIMES:
March 9.—(Exclusive Dis-
patch.) The explosion at the
plant of Pleasant Prairie,
Wis., was the home of 700
people, many of whom were
killed in the great Ran-
dom plant. Not a house re-
mains, and the survivors have
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explosion was terrific. Theater
crowds were thrown into a panic when
the four explosions occurred, windows
in all parts of the city were broken
and in the west end of the city every
plate glass was destroyed. Portions of
the debris of the wrecked mill were
carried two miles from the plant.

A great piece of steel from one of
the mills was blown through the store
of M. A. King at the village of Pleasant
Prairie and went clear through to
the basement. The store was a complete
wreck, but no one was in it at the
time.

Women scantily clad ran about the
streets of the village pleading to be
taken away from the ruined town, or
at least have their children taken to
a place where they could be sheltered
for the night.

The explosion started in the glass
mill. A minute before that time, Su-
perintendent Brady had left the mill
and was talking with the men. The
explosion went right through the plant,
taking building after building.

The men, burned and bleeding, lined
up outside the ruins after the fourth
explosion had thrown the wheel house
into the air and it was noticed that
F. S. Thompson, known as the "old
man," was missing. Thompson was in
the glass mill at the time of the explosion
with Edward Hillard. By some
miracle Hillard escaped.

SEVEN HUNDRED OF MILES.
Some idea of the fearful explosion
may be gained from the fact that it
was felt in Burlington, Iowa, Cleveland,
O., and St. Louis. The blast was dis-
tinctly seen in Elgin, seventy-five miles
distant, and houses there were rocked
violently, people fleeing to the streets
in terror.

The territory about the ruined plant
is being patrolled by deputy sheriffs
to prevent people going near the de-
molished plant and there is no chance
to get accurate information.

The superintendent of the plant,
Charles Brady, escaped with slight in-
juries and seventeen other men em-
ployed at the plant had remarkable
escapes from death.

In Chicago, hundreds of windows
were broken, numerous big store
fronts being destroyed. Many windows
in residences were broken and many
pedestrians in Rogers Park rushed to the
street, terror-stricken.

In Waukegan, the force of the ex-
plosion was such that the residents
were in a state bordering on panic all
night. Three theaters, in which per-
formances were beginning at the time
the shocks were felt, were emptied in
a moment.

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Preserving Neutrality.

AMERICA NOW
TAKING HAND.

Maneuvers Carry a
Double Aim.

Troops Will Guard Border
and Be a Source of Safety
If Diaz Should Die.

Real Facts Regarding Move
of United States Forces
Are Made Public.

Action Forced by Attitude of
World Powers Unoffi-
cially Expressed.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
WASHINGTON, March 9.—That the
administration has decided to dis-
semble no longer its reasons for the
sudden and unprecedented move-
ment of troops to the Mexican border
is indicated by the following dispatch
received tonight from the staff cor-
respondent of the Associated Press who
is accompanying President Taft on his
journey to Atlanta. The dispatch,
dated Charlottesville, Va., through
which place the President's train passed
at 7:10 tonight, is as follows:

"All doubt as to the purpose of the
government in sending 20,000 troops to
the Mexican border has at last been
swept away. The United States has
determined that the revolution in the
republic to the south must end. The
American troops have been sent to
form a solid military wall along the
Rio Grande to stop filibustering, and
to see that there is no further smug-
gling of arms and men across the in-
ternational boundary."

"It is believed that with this source
of contraband supplies cut off, the
insurrectionary movement which has
been going on for nearly a year without
accomplishing anything like the forma-
tion of a responsible independent govern-
ment, will speedily come to a close."

"President Taft, on his way to At-
lanta and Augusta, for a ten days va-
cation, passed through here at 7:10
o'clock tonight. He appeared satisfied
with the situation. He expressed the
belief that the rapid movement of
troops into Texas and Southern Califor-
nia will so speedily accomplish its
purpose that the net results in the end
will constitute a valuable lesson on
the subject of making responsible dam-
age to the country at large, to the crit-
icism of the army in particular, and a jus-
tification of the diplomatically worded
explanations that have been given out
from official sources in Washington."

"There no longer is reason to doubt
that the sudden move on the part of
the American government was the re-
sult of either unofficial representations
from foreign governments regarding
the situation in Mexico or the intima-
tion that several European powers
were sounding each other as to the
desirability of making responsible dam-
age to the United States at an early date."

"At any rate the matter was put up
to the administration in such a way
as to call for the quickest sort of
action. The necessity of this speed of
mobilization was seized upon by the
War Department as a heaven-sent op-
portunity to answer critics both in
and out of Congress and that interpreta-
tion was put upon the movement."

"There was little doubt in the minds
of official circles that the true mean-
ing of the movement was soon would
be known, and the logical interpreta-
tion so quickly put upon the move-
ment of the troops unquestionably dis-
concerted the administration officials,
from President Taft down."

"The Washington government unex-
pectedly found itself confronted by the
necessity of throwing an army along
the border line of Mexico to stop the
source of supply to the revolutionists,
and to be in a position to invade Mex-
ico at a moment's notice in the event
of the death of President Diaz or any
other untoward circumstance which
might precipitate general fighting or
rioting."

"It was represented at the State De-
partment that the United States must
act and quickly if the Monroe doc-
trine was to be maintained."

"Foreign interests in Mexico natu-
rally look to the United States for
protection under the doctrine.

TO PROTECT AMERICANS.
The foreign interests in the repub-
lic, however, are not to be compared
with the American capital invested
there, so, after all, the move to bring
about more tranquil conditions in
Mexico has to do principally with
Americans and American interests."

"Just what part the Diaz govern-
ment has played in recent events has
not yet been disclosed. From time to
time protests have been made to the
Washington government regarding the
violation of the neutrality laws on the border."

"Such protests, however, would not
ordinarily call out such a force as has
been rushed toward the Mexican
frontier during the last forty-eight
hours. It is considered probable that
the Mexican government may have in-
dicated to European powers its in-
ability to put an end to the disorders
along the border, and the United States
revolutionist forces in the United States."

"Whatever the inner and diplomatic
moves may have been, there no longer
is any purpose on the part of the
administration to keep the movement
of troops with mystery."

"The Mexican government, whether
it asked help of this government or
not, has been given the greatest as-
sistance it could possibly have. The
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Seek Refuge in United States After Fighting Mexico.



Wounded Insurrectos in El Paso, Tex., where a regular revolutionary hospital is maintained and from which United States city the rebel junta directs fighting against neighboring government.

TO WITNESS
MANEUVERS.

Militia Head Wires California
for List of Names for
Invitations.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
WASHINGTON (D.C.) March
9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gen.
Weaver, at the head of militia
affairs, has wired to the Ad-
jutant-General of California to
send him all names of officers
in the militia who would like
to observe the maneuvers on the
border. Selection will be
made from these names in Califor-
nia as well as in other States,
as far as accommodations
available will permit under the
law governing joint maneuvers,
and payment for the expenses
incurred will be made out of
the annual appropriation for
joint maneuvers. The Gov-
ernors of New York, Texas and
West Virginia have offered the
government the militia of those
States for any purpose for
which they may be needed.

Sanguinary.

AMERICANS DIE
FIGHTING HARD.

FEDERALS Wipe Out Company
OF ADVENTURERS.

Couriers Bring News of Decisive
Engagement at Old Casas Grandes
in Chihuahua—Thirty-six White
Combatants Taken Prisoner and
Four Fall Standing by Guns.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
EL PASO, March 9.—[Exclusive
Dispatch.] Couriers from old Casas
Grandes, in the Mormon settlement
of Chihuahua arrived here today
with the news of a decisive en-
gagement between the Federal forces, un-
der Col. Manuel Garcia Cuellar, chief
aide and personal representative of
President Diaz in the field, and the
insurrecto forces under Madero. The
engagement occurred Monday, but
has not been brought to the news
until now because the courier
was cut off from the outside world,
the news only arrived here today by
mounted courier.

Severe losses were inflicted upon the
insurrecto army, the loss being esti-
mated at 200, with a whole company
of forty Americans either killed or
captured. These are the soldiers of
fortune who have been joining the in-
surrecto army and have been manning
the machine guns. Thirty-six are
known to have been captured and one
pile of dead contained four Americans.

The insurrectos also lost ten cavalry
horses and the machine guns which
they were using for the first time. The
fight was largely an artillery one.
Col. Cuellar using his mountain guns
and field pieces at long range to good
advantage. The insurrectos were un-
able to operate their machine guns
captured from the Federals, because
of shortage of ammunition.

Madero and his force of 1000 had
passed through Chocolate Pass and
had camped on a hill opposite old
Casas Grandes. Cuellar marched south
from Sabinal and attacked the insur-
rectos from the north.

The cannonading lasted eleven hours
and a flank movement by Cuellar's
cavalry was attempted. The insur-
rectos were flanked by the cavalry and
the Americans, who stood their
ground until their ammunition was ex-
hausted, were taken prisoners when
the remainder of Madero's army with-
drew to the west.

Blanco Near Douglas.
DOUGLAS (ARIZ.) March 9.—Blanco's
force of 470 men were seen today
between Colonia Morales and Agua
Prieta. There is an unconfirmed re-
port tonight that he is twelve miles
from Douglas.

THIRD STORM
IN THE NORTH.

Valley Regions Get
Drenched Again.

Streams Are at Danger Mark
and Farmers Patrol the
Levees.

Incumbent Damage Threat-
ened to Property by Re-
newed Rain.

Unprecedented Depth of
Snow on the Siskiyou
and Sierras.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SACRAMENTO, March 9.—[Ex-
clusive Dispatch.] Just as the
weather bureau announced the
backbone of the second big storm of
the season broken and after ten hours
of comparatively clear weather, the
third storm of the season broke over
Northern California today and tonight
rain and snow are falling, the valley
regions receiving another drenching
and the Siskiyou and Sierras having
more snow piled upon already record
breaking depths.

Coming when the streams were al-
ready swollen to almost danger mark
and when the ground had taken up
all the moisture possible, the present
storm threatens to result in incalcu-
lable damage to farmers, orchardists
and property owners.

Along the Sacramento River, from
Colusa down, the levees are being
patrolled to prevent a possible break-
ing while along the creeks and streams in
the valley counties watch is being
kept tonight to prevent the destruc-
tion of property.

Railroad traffic on the west side of
the Sacramento River is again in-
terfered with. The road above Wood-
land will not be opened for several
days. Conditions in the east
while not serious are troublesome.

The Western Pacific is still out of
commission and the Central California
Tractor Company could not get its
regular trains through between Sacra-
mento and Stockton today because of
too much water.

At Vina, the river water is almost
up to the edge of the town, while at
the land adjacent is overflowed. There
is 313 inches of snow at the annual
and ninety-seven inches at Blue
Cañon. The river here is rising
slowly and is expected to reach the
twenty-seven-foot mark.

With the railroad situation serious
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PROPOSED POLYTECHNIC SCHOOL
HANGS IN BALANCE AT CAPITAL

BY W. R. WILLIAMS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, March 9.—[Ex-
clusive Dispatch.] The California in-
stitute of Technology, known by a
fragile thread tonight. After two de-
bates in the Senate a third one was
prevented tonight by the illness of Can-
nelli, who was to make the principal
argument for the bill that is to ac-
cept Throop Polytechnic, Pasadena, as
the foundation of what is planned to
be the duplicate of the Massachu-
setts Institute of Technology, in the
near future. It will be resumed tomor-
row at 11 o'clock.

APPLYING THE SCREWS.
No measure has been before the Sen-
ate, with the possible exception of the
Works election and the eight-hour bill,
that have brought the discussion of
more thumb-screws than the opposition
to the Throop bill.

Last night it appeared that a major-
ity would vote for it. Today it appears
that vote of this majority has become
estranged. So merciless have the Ber-
keley interests been that the private
business affairs of members have been
threatened, and at least two of them
have yielded to that sort of domina-
tion, according to report.

Ramifications of the great university
include some of the men who make or
break young men, and these interests
have been zealous in turning votes
away from Throop.

If the fight is lost there is a proba-
bility that the means of conquest will
not placate the men of the South, whose
motives have been maligned, and whose
integrity have been disputed by the
Berkeley interests, nor will the means
employed reconcile any fair-minded per-
son to the decision.

LOBBYISTS LEAVE SENATE.
Twice on the floor of the Senate to-
day, Senator Gates had to invoke
through the president, the enforce-
ment of the rule against lobbyists.

On the first occasion Max Thieleen,
City Attorney Long and C. W. Snook,
attorney, of San Francisco, left.

The second time Alfred Sutro of
San Francisco departed only after the
president had responded to repeated
challenges that a Berkeley lobbyist
was on the floor by announcing that
"any gentleman who knew his own
purpose and in the galleries the Ber-
keley lobby remained and all sorts of
pretexts were invented to get men-
tion tonight that he is twelve miles
from Douglas."

SENATE ANSWERS GATES AND BASE
much of his answer on an editorial
in Hearst's San Francisco paper. Sen-
ator Bell asked him if he had read
Hearst's Los Angeles paper and if he
knew that it took the other end of
the controversy. Shanahan said that
indicated sectional feeling only. He
declared for free text-books before
another dollar is spent on higher edu-
cation. Senator Bell made a strong
argument after Shanahan ceased.

Senator Thompson, spoke of the in-
stitutional character of the project, ex-
plaining that with one-third of the pu-
ble and one-third of the wealth, the
South was entitled to have an insti-
tution made necessary by the tenden-
cies of that great population. With
the high schools of the South now
preparing to spend \$2,500,000 for poly-
technic extension he believed the in-
stitution was necessary.

"The University of California," said
Thompson, "can never approximate the
ideals or the ideals of higher educa-
tion or lead the institutions of the
West, until it gives recognition to suc-
cessful institutions."

Senator Stetson of Oakland made the
principal argument against the bill.

MANEUVERS.

LINING UP THE STATE TROOPS.

Uncle Sam Calls for Militia Officers to Join Army.

Opportunity Offered for Observation and Study.

Government Will Defray Expenses and Pay Them.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) WASHINGTON, March 9.—The scene of activity in connection with the movement of troops to the Mexican border has shifted now to the long line which they will occupy, and official Washington has become merely a place for the receipt of reports showing the progress of the units to their place of rendezvous.

The War Department tonight made public the contents of the telegram which was sent today to the adjutant-general of the several State militias, inviting a limited number of militia officers to avail themselves of the opportunity afforded by the maneuvers, for observation and technical study.

The dispatch, sent by Gen. Robert K. Evans, acting chief of the Bureau of Military Affairs of the War Department, follows:

"The adjutants-general of all States and Territories and the District of Columbia militia:

"In connection with the mobilization of Federal troops for maneuver purposes, I am instructed by the Secretary of War to inform you that the department desires to extend to a limited number of officers of the organized militia an opportunity to attend the maneuvers for purposes of observation and instruction.

"With this end in view, it is requested that you furnish this office with the earliest practicable date, a list of names of officers, line or staff, of the organized militia of your State, whom you recommend for such duty, giving the name of each officer and rank and arm of service and the probable time that he will be able to report and to remain at the campment.

"PAY AND EXPENSES.

"The department will consider the service as falling within the provisions of section 16 of militia law, and, therefore, the pay and transportation of such officers will be defrayed by regular annual appropriation for joint maneuvers.

"It is requested that, in presenting the names of these officers, you accompany the request with an estimate of their pay and transportation to the nearest maneuver camp. It is to be understood that the accommodations are limited, it probably will be necessary to make selections of the list presented. Information as to the officers selected by the department for this service and the places to which they will report, will be furnished later, after the lists have been received and approved.

"The extensiveness of the medical accommodations to the army and navy in the movement southward adds to the significance of the selection.

"The hospital ship Solace, equipped as a floating infirmary, will participate in the maneuvers. She will leave Guantanamo in a day or two for New York or Norfolk, with eighty sick from the battleship fleet now in Cuban waters and then will be fitted out as a medical supply ship and sent to join the vessels of Admiral Stantout at division of the Atlantic fleet ordered to Guantanamo.

"MEDICAL STAFF SIDE.

"The medical staff of the Pacific and Dixie, the vessels selected to carry the large force of marines to Guantanamo, has been increased. On the Pacific side the Buffalo is receiving the medical staff, who are being collected from the barracks along that shore for transportation to San Diego, and Surgeon-General Stokes has taken similar precautions for medical assistance to the marines on that vessel.

"Admiral Stokes is accepting this opportunity. It is his duty to provide efficiency of his machinery to carry out emergency orders.

"Extensive preparations are being made by Surgeon-General Stokes to send the army, to care for the 30,000 soldiers being rushed to the frontier.

"A reserve medical supply, which contains medical supplies for 30,000 troops for three months, will be shipped from St. Louis to San Antonio tomorrow. Two base hospitals, which are the largest used by an army in the field, are being assembled at St. Louis, from which point they can be dispatched southward.

"Prisoners?

REBELS MENACE EASTERN PARTY.

REPORT CURRENT OF CAPTURE OF CHICAGOANS.

Head of Illinois Malleable Steel Company, With Four Guests on Chihuahua Ranch, Said to Be in Insurrection Hands—Impossible to Reach Place by Telegraph.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) CHICAGO, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That five Chicagoans, including two women, are in danger from the insurgents on the ranch of H. E. Bullock, president of the Illinois Malleable Steel Company, near Chihuahua, Mex., and that they are being held captive by them, is a report which is causing their friends here considerable anxiety.

The wires in the district in which Mr. Bullock's hacienda is located have been cut by the insurgents and it is impossible to verify the report.

The members of the party with Mr. Bullock are Miss Mary Bullock, his wife; Mrs. D. E. English, his sister; J. B. Sheehan, vice-president, and Palmer E. Montgomery, treasurer, of the company.

"I received a letter from Mr. Bullock a day or two ago," Mrs. Bullock said today, "and he does not say a word about any trouble with the insurgents near his ranch. The report that he is in danger seems to me a great shock to me. The ranch is thirty miles from the village of Jimenez on the Mexican Central Railroad. The party went down there February 21 for a vacation of a month."

Mr. Bullock's brother, J. E. Bullock,

TROOP TRAIN CAUGHT FIRE.

Carload of Horses En Route to Mexican Boundary Burnt in Oklahoma.

(Associated Press Night Report.) DENISON (Tex.), March 9.—One car of horses was destroyed and two soldiers reported killed, as a result of a fire originating in a stock car of a troop train on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad, near Durant, Okla., tonight.

The capture had been received in any of the Texas towns along the border. "I understand that the Mexican Central railroad is in the hands of the insurgents in this district and that no trains are being run, so it will be impossible to get even a letter through," Mr. Bullock said. "I am inclined not to believe the report, because my brother has said many times that the insurgents in that district were friendly to the Americans."

CALL MADE ON LOCAL GUARD.

Adjutant-General Wires Col. Schreiber to Ascertain How Many Officers Can Go to the Front.

Col. Schreiber, commanding the Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., with headquarters in Los Angeles, received a telegram last night from the Adjutant-General of the State directing him to ascertain how many officers of his regiment can leave at once for the border "for instruction and observation."

The dispatch stated that the Federal government will furnish transportation and full pay to all officers while in service. The officers will provide their own subsistence.

On receiving the dispatch, Col. Schreiber at once began sending telegraph and telephone messages to the captains of his companies and to the members of his staff.

The captains were ordered to report at once when they could leave, and how long they could be gone. Col. Schreiber expects to receive their replies this morning at his office in the Street Department at the City Hall. He will probably be one of those who leave for "instruction and observation." One of the officers of high rank in the regiment stated last night that the officers are bewildered at being called out without the men.

AGUA PRIETA NOW MENACED.

Attack by Rebels Expected This Morning—Inhabitants Flee to American Side for Safety.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) DOUGLAS (Ariz.), March 9.—The rebel bands of Juan Cabral, "El Lopez" and Bracamonte appeared suddenly before Agua Prieta tonight. It is believed the move is being made in conjunction with Blanco, and that Agua Prieta will be attacked before morning. Wild excitement followed and there was a general rush of Mexicans to the American side.

BANCO DE CANANEA CLOSSES.

Insurrection Activity Leads to Temporary Shutdown of Financial Institution in Sonora Section.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) EL PASO, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Ignacio McManus, assistant cashier of the Banco de Cananea, in Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, arrived here on his way to Mexico City, today. He says that the Banco de Cananea has been forced to close its doors temporarily because of insurrection activity in that vicinity. The funds have been deposited in the bank and no more deposits are accepted until the trouble with rebels, camped in the Ojo mountains, near Cananea, has ended. The Banco de Cananea is a branch of the Cananea Copper Company and is conducted by that company.

INFANTRYMEN ARRIVE.

TROOPERS NOW ON WAY.

The Thirtieth United States Infantry arrived in Los Angeles from San Francisco on two special trains on the Southern Pacific yesterday. The trains were immediately transferred to the Santa Fe for the run to San Diego. The first train consisted of one standard and Pullman car, six day coaches, a baggage car, several freight cars containing wagons and equipment, and several stock cars containing horses and mules for the war. The second train had several cars more than the first train, and a second section of that train carried the hospital corps.

The Salt Lake railroad is handling two trains of troops from Boise, Idaho. The trains are due to leave Salt Lake this morning and are expected to reach Ogden Sunday morning. They carry four troops of cavalry, about 200 men, traveling in twenty-six cars. Mules for the troopers are in stock cars attached to the train.

Americans Captured.

PHOENIX (Ariz.), March 9.—Mexican Consul Brava has received word that among the rebels captured by the Federals in the Altar district a few days ago was R. A. Dorame of Phoenix and about a dozen men of his command. Dorame is known here as a socialist, and it is understood that since the trouble broke out, he has done considerable recruiting and has recently took a number of men from Central Arizona points.

Serenity Unruffled.

MEXICAN AMBASSADOR ENJOYS CONFERENCE WITH PRESIDENT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

WASHINGTON, March 9.—President Taft today assured Senor de la Barra, the Mexican Ambassador to the United States, that the statement issued in Mexico City last night through the American embassy accurately represented the attitude of this government in sending 30,000 troops into Texas.

He told Mr. Barra the troops were there for maneuvers and that there was nothing in the movement that should excite alarm or unusual interest.

The Mexican Ambassador reached Washington from New York this morning. He called at the White House at noon and remained there for nearly an hour.

After his interview with President Taft, Ambassador de la Barra said: "I talked with the President for some

WORLD GUESSING OVER WAR GAME.

Forty Thousand Men Now on Mexican Border.

United States Keeps Secret Well and Even Officers Ordered to Front Cannot Say Why—Speculations Cover Wide Range of Probable Causes for Movement.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) WASHINGTON (D. C.), March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "With the soldiers and marines, they have about 40,000 men down there, I tell you, major," said one retired officer to another today. "There's something behind all this."

That's what everyone is saying, everyone, that is, whose tongue is not tied by official orders.

As to speculations, anyone is free to indulge in them. The probability that Japan is backing the insurrection; the negotiations of the country, as told recently in the consular daily reports, for a coaling station on the Mexico West Coast; the troubles with insurgents in Lower California, have all been eliminated from the rebel force.

Gen. Leyva and Simon Berthold, fully restored to power, today announced their intention of marching upon Ensenada at once. The plan is to leave tomorrow night. When Berthold was shown a dispatch saying 400 Federals, with artillery, were at Ensenada, he said that would make no difference.

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I had a severe backache some time ago which could not be cured by the doctors' medicine. I am glad to say, however, that Swamp-Root cured me in a few weeks' time.

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Yours very truly,
JACOB DORNACHER,
Edwardsville, Ill.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of July, A. D. 1909.
SAMUEL W. McTRICK, Notary Public.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You Send to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling all about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Los Angeles Daily Times. For sale at all drug stores. Price fifty cents and one dollar.

est diplomatic programme discussed at the White House. It was said today that instead of succeeding Oscar Straus as ambassador to Turkey, as had been planned, Gov. Guild would go to Mexico.

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Former Governor Guild was the special ambassador to Mexico at the recent centennial held in Mexico City. He made a fine impression on people there, according to reports brought here by Special Ambassador Cassius M. Yager, who left for Mexico today.

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WYOMING BOYS ON WAY.

TROOPS LEAVE FOR BORDER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) CHEYENNE (Wyo.), March 9.—Carrying a machine gun platoon and the wagon train of the Eleventh Infantry, the first Wyoming cavalry moved toward San Antonio, Tex. The remainder of the regiment will leave sometime tonight, while the engineers and hospital corps will get away Saturday. Scenes similar to those witnessed at the opening of the Spanish war marked the soldiers' farewells to their families. Orders were received from Washington for a report on the amount of shrapnel and shell ammunition on hand at the fort.

Invited to Maneuvers.

OLYMPIA (Wash.), March 9.—Adj. Gen. J. W. Llewellyn of the Washington National Guard received a message from the War Department today inviting the officers of the militia to attend the maneuvers at Fort Huachuca, Ariz.

Missouri to Take Part.

JEFFERSON CITY (Mo.), March 9.—Requests for the names of officers of the Missouri National Guard who are able to attend the maneuvers in Texas were received today by Adj. Gen. Boardman of the War Department. The message said the expenses would be paid by the government.

Idaho Cavalry on Way.

BOISE (Idaho), March 9.—Provided only with field equipment and with but 200 rounds of ammunition, three troops of the First cavalry en route today at the Boise barracks, departing for Fort Huachuca, Ariz.

Blanket Issue Ordered.

ST. LOUIS, March 9.—Orders were received today at the United States Commissary Department here for the immediate shipment of 15,000 blankets to Texas. Capt. C. W. Wilson, assistant depot quartermaster, said the stock of blankets in the depot will supply an army of 100,000 men.

Cruisers Coming South.

SEATTLE, March 9.—The cruisers West Virginia and Maryland, under command of Rear Admiral William H. Southernland, left the Puget Sound navy yard at daylight for San Diego, for "battle practice." The Admiral said before leaving:

Mariners Leave for Cuba.

PHILADELPHIA, March 9.—More than 100 marines sailed today on the transport Prairie from the navy yard here, for Guantanamo, Cuba. Besides general stores, the ship is carrying 255,000 rounds of ball cartridges.

Cruisers Sail for Gulf.

NEW YORK, March 9.—The three armored cruisers, Tennessee, Montana and North Carolina, which have been coaling off Tompkinsville, N. Y., sailed for the Gulf of Mexico late today.

Cavalry Ready to Move.

Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments.

RPHEUM THEATER--

The Standard of Vaudeville

Fannie Ward & Co.
"An Unlucky Star"
Frank Tinney
"Revelation in Burnt Cork"
Amy Butler
and Her Big Quartette
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Greatest Novelty of the Age
Every Night 10c, 25c, 50c.

PANTAGES THEATER--

MATINEE EVERY DAY AT 2:15

"All Star Vaudeville Show Without a Single Fellow"

10-PEOPLE--10-SEA LIONS--4
Capt. Theodor's Comedy
Trained Amphibians
FRANK HOCK & CO.
In The Riddle Comedy
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CUBA RIFLE
Comedians, Singers, Clog Dancers
MILIE STEINER & GIRLS
Singles, Dances, Acrobatics

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LOS ANGELES LEADING THEATRE
FREDERICK WARREN
America's Most Distinguished Actor
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Nights and Saturday Matinee, 10c to 50c
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In Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett's drama of childhood
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With its wonderful cast and company. Starring
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Ladies 5c.

ELASCO THEATRE--

POSITIVELY LAST NIGHT
Popular Matinee Tomorrow
LEWIS & STONE and the
least production of the Shubert immensely
entertaining success.

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NEXT MONDAY NIGHT--FIRST TIME
Constant production by a stock company anywhere in the
entertaining success.

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Seats for this important offering now selling. Agents
LORD'S THEATRE--

Grand Opera House--

100th Performance of this
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MISSOURIAN WOULD BE PRESIDENTIAL POSSIBILITY.

Student Stunt Elicits Interesting Sidelight on Ambitions of Democratic Leader. Who Would Not Mind Seeing Mock Convention Enacted on Larger Stage.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

FARGO (N. D.) March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That Champ Clark of Missouri, for years leader of the minority in the Congress, is willing to take the Democratic nomination for President of the United States if it is offered to him by the Democratic National Convention is evidenced by the statement made in a letter from him to an attorney of this city.

The letter, written Attorney Taylor Crum, is in response to a clipping giving the story of a student's national political convention held at the North Dakota Agricultural College in this city on February 22.

At this convention, the details of which had been worked out according to those of the last national convention, Congressman Champ Clark was chosen as the next President of the United States.

One thousand students from North Dakota and four adjoining States took part in this convention, the result of which was a victory for Champ Clark by a good majority over his strongest opponent for the nomination, Senator Bob La Follette of Wisconsin.

Clark was elected by a vote of 1,000 to 400. The student body of the college was 1,400.

"Dear Sir: Your letter of the third is at hand. Thank you very much for your kind words. It is very pleasant to be remembered by one of the great statesmen of the country. Would not mind seeing it enacted on the larger stage. Yours sincerely, "CHAMP CLARK."

FROM BARONESS TO FILM SHOW.

New York Nickelodeon Manager by Woman Who Years Ago Was the Sensation of New York Society.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

NEW YORK, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Elizabeth Blank; or Twenty Years After." That title ought to make good as a drawing card at the nickel picture-house in Sixty-fifth street, where the one time Baroness Blanc directs the activities of the company of two men and a change of films every day.

The courts refused her the right to use the name "Blanc" when Baroness Blanc secured his divorce twenty years ago. But she does not propose that the prosperous old days shall be forgotten, and Elizabeth Blank's name now appears over the entrance of the new comedy.

Fat and red-haired and voluble, there is little to recall to the visitor the pretty woman who in 1892 was the one unique sensation of New York. In those days she claimed the right to a coat of arms, and her daily drive in Central Park was almost a royal progress. She was welcomed by every head waiter in town because her tips were lavish, and more than one of the greater hotels registered that it could not continue to entertain her. Her two divorce suits kept the town in gossip.

CORPORATION SPARKS TREE.

Railroad Company Makes a Horse-shoe Bend in Order to "Get Around" a Huge Sycamore in the Canyon Pass.

The new line of the Los Angeles Pacific to Lankershim will have a horse-shoe bend of a few feet in length. Persons traveling over the road will probably be surprised when they see that the crook is made merely for the accommodation of an aged tree. However, it would be easier to lawfully move a mountain than to get permission to fell the tree.

When the surveyors laid out the proposed route they took no cognizance of a huge sycamore tree in the Canyon Pass. The fact that it was in the most direct path did not bother them, as they had no idea that there would be any more trouble than the mere exertion of chopping down the plant.

After the franchise had been granted the Federal officials notified the officers of the railroad company that they would have to respect the sycamore, for it is a government monument. Its lofty branches point out the divisions of the land which were established many years ago.

"Oh, woodman, spare that tree. 'Tis not a single bough—' is the ultimatum of Uncle Sam.

The railroad officials do not care to take a chance on going ahead and removing the tree in the face of this admonition, for some one would probably get a jail sentence if they did.

ENJOYS MEALS MINUS STOMACH.

Alberta Farmer Gets Away With His Three Squares Though Vital Organ Is in Philadelphia Hospital.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

PHILADELPHIA, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] B. J. Sykes of Cardston, Alberta, Canada, paid a friendly call on his stomach today at a local hospital.

"Yes," said Mr. Sykes, "I hadn't seen it for a year. True, it gave me lots of trouble while I had it and I have got along well enough since, but you know I once had a personal interest in it and I want to look at it for old-time's sake."

If your stomach doesn't agree with you, have it cut out. That's the way Mr. Sykes did. The doctors had given him one month to live and told him that he had about one chance in a hundred of surviving the operation.

He took that chance on a Sunday in February, last year, and last summer he returned several thousand bushels of wheat on his 160-acre farm in Southern Alberta, and will go back there this spring to raise more wheat and to once again enjoy life.

Among other things that Mr. Sykes enjoys are three square meals a day. He says he eats anything that anyone else would eat and never felt better

PICKEL THINKS HE'S IN BAD.

Sits in Court When Wife Wins Separate Maintenance Suit, for Fear She'll Never Come Back to Him.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

ST. LOUIS, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Elmo Mulholland Pickel, former Chicagoan, won her separate maintenance suit against her husband, Frederick J. Pickel, millionaire's son, today. In deciding the case Judge Muench scored husband and wife, both of whom are Catholics, for washing their discarded linen in court instead of taking care of their child.

The decision was that Pickel pay his young wife \$100 a month; that the child shall not be taken out of St. Louis, and that his father shall see it every other Sunday. Pickel wept when asked if he thought there was any chance for a reconciliation with his wife.

"No, I'm afraid she's gone," sobbed Pickel.

"Have you any religion?" asked his wife's attorney.

"I am a Catholic," said Pickel.

"Do you practice your faith?"

On motion of Pickel's attorney the religious questions and answers were stricken from the records.

GOOD POST FOR CHARLES CRISP.

Son of Former Speaker of House Accepts Tender of Position as House Parliamentarian and Clerk.

PARLIAMENTARY REPORT.

AMERICUS (Ga.) March 9.—Charles Crisp, son of the former Speaker Crisp, of the national House of Representatives, received today a telegram from Champ Clark, speaker-to-be of the House of Representatives, placing of House Parliamentarian and clerk of the Speaker. Mr. Crisp accepted the appointment and was instructed to report in Washington on March 21 for duty.

CITY TRIES EXPERIMENT.

OKLAHOMA CITY (Okla.) March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Oklahoma City today adopted the commission form of government by a majority of between 1200 and 1500. At 8:30 tonight fourteen precincts had been returned and the majority was 540. The precincts unheard from have gone heavily for the commission form of government at two previous elections held on the same question. The government will consist of a Mayor and four Commissioners, all elected by popular vote.

DOUBLE HOOBOO OF SKIDOO.

Ill Luck Connected With Land Entry Number Twenty-three in an Imperial Valley Case.

With the double hoofoo of No. 223 attached to it as a designation, a quarter section of land in Imperial Valley is bringing ill-luck to those who are interested in it.

When an entry is made in the local Land Office a serial number is given to the application. When Orlando E. Darling signed his intention of taking up a piece of the public domain the papers he filed were stamped with No. 223.

He took up his habitation on the claim and began to improve it. In a short time his mental faculties began to fail and within a year he was sent to the insane asylum.

Mrs. Darling started on this mission yesterday. As she needed some household supplies, she stopped at a grocery to make some purchases.

While she conversed with the grocer a thief made way with her purse. It contained her written evidence of a right to the homestead. However, she will not lose the land, as she can establish her claim by the proper affidavit, but she will be put to extra exertions.

That Feeling Of Fullness

Disappears in Five Minutes After Taking a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet.

A Trial Package Sent Free on Request

All of the unpleasant sensations attendant upon eating too heartily are instantly relieved by a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet. Like a pin in a rubber balloon. The reason is simple and easy to understand.

When you take food into a stomach that is tired and overtaxed the gastric juices do not form fast enough to digest it properly. So the food becomes sour and at once begins to throw off your stomach becomes inflated just as surely as if you attached a toy balloon to a gas jet. Then the gases and foul odors issue forth and pollute your breath, making you an object of nausea to your friends. Your tongue quickly becomes coated and you can taste the foulness that is within you.

Now all this condition is changed almost instantly by a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet. This little digester gets busy at once—supplies all the digestive juices that were lacking—digests the food in a jiffy and opens up the clogged stomach and bowels. It also sweetens and refreshes the mucous lining of the stomach and bowels and restores peace and content.

If you will give Stuart's Dyspepsia tablets a chance they will not only sweeten your stomach, but also your disposition and you will never have another stomach ouch.

One grain of a single ingredient in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest 3000 grains of food. This saves your stomach and gives it the rest it needs. All muscles require occasional rest if they are ever overtaxed. The stomach is no exception to this rule.

Try a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and you will wonder how you ever got along without them. They are sold at 50 cents by all druggists everywhere. A trial package will be sent free on request to F. A. Stuart Co., 150

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Bargain Friday No. 583

Sale of Suits for Misses Juniors and Small Women \$8.50

If our buyer had not been wide awake to every opportunity this over stock of a big Eastern manufacturer would have gone to some large store in some other big city. As it was Broadway customers may select from these splendid suits in small sizes.

Styles that are well worth \$15 in many instances—some we marked \$10, others as sale features at \$8.95.

Made of very good quality materials in brown, green, blue and fancy stripes. The materials include all wool chevots and serges in plain and fancy weaves.

Coats are made with notched collars—have pockets on side and are lined with good quality satin. Skirts are close fitting—plain gored with apron front. As is typical of Bargain Friday—this wonderful lot at

AWARD ORANGE
SHOW PRIZES.Judges Begin Work of Nam-
ing Blue Ribboners.Honors Go to Various Sec-
tions of Citrus Belt.Saturday Will Be Banner
Day for Attendance.

SAN BERNARDINO, March 9.—Today the Award Committee, consisting of Col. T. J. Santa Paula, Prof. J. Elliott, Col. of the University of California and Assistant General Manager Moulton of the California Fruit Growers Exchange, commenced work. Awards made tonight were for the best exhibit of twenty-five or more boxes of oranges, prize sweepstakes challenge cup, Highland Orange Growers' Association; second prize, Gold Buckle Association of East Highland; third prize, Edwards. Best exhibit of twenty-five or more boxes of lemons, sweepstakes cup, Corona, Chamber of Commerce; second prize, Rialto Packing Company. Best exhibit of twenty-five or more boxes of lemons, sweepstakes cup, Corona, Chamber of Commerce; second prize, Rialto Packing Company. Best exhibit of twenty-five or more boxes of lemons, sweepstakes cup, Corona, Chamber of Commerce; second prize, Rialto Packing Company.

Second prize, Gold Buckle Association; third prize, West Highland Citrus Union. Best exhibit of five boxes of lemons, A. Banner, Edwanda. Best exhibit of five boxes of seedling oranges, Monterey C. Mascart, of Redlands, ribbon. Best exhibit of single box lot of oranges, Highland Orange Association. Second prize, Gold Buckle Association; third prize, Edwanda. Best single lot of Valencia, A. F. Leitch, Bloomington.

INTERESTING EXHIBITS.
One of the most interesting displays is a big pyramid of "Parson Brown" seedling gathered from one of the original orange trees of the valley. This particular fruit was from a tree 40 years old, which for years has given forty boxes of fruit each season. The fruit is smooth, well shaped, highly colored and luscious. This tree is on the home place of Montague C. Mascart at Redlands.

Myron Sherman, of Redlands displays "navels." These are prize fruit, big, generous fruit of uniform size, each being an exact duplicate of the others. There are also many plate displays of seedling grapefruit, St. Michaels, Valencia, and a number of attractive table displays of ruby bloods, their deep, rich color suggesting fruit of Imperial lineage.

Among the delegations arriving today were from Santa Ana, W. H. Wallace, secretary, and other growers, were among the throng, while a party of forty from Huntington Beach was headed by F. P. Talbot, Col. Coulter, A. E. W. Willard being among them. All were high in their praise of the show, President Clark saying: "Every exhibit is a delight to look upon; the feature displays are beautiful, the arrangement is perfect, and as a whole in detail the show is a revelation."

Tomorrow is set apart for Bloomington, Rialto, Colton and Highland. Big excursions are expected in from those places.

Saturday, the closing day of the show, unless a show is held over to show, unless it is held over to the week. It has been officially designated "Santa Fe Day."

The entire Santa Fe shops and offices will be closed from noon, a half holiday being declared at the big mechanical plant. This will give the railroad men and their families an opportunity to visit the orange show and take in its beauties, and should make Saturday a record day for attendance.

The Coast line officials of the Santa Fe have been invited to be the guests of the show management on that day, and have accepted and will be attending at the show probably in the afternoon.

Arrangements have been made to give the tourists who arrive in California on the California Limited Saturday, a chance to see the orange show. The train is due in San Bernardino at 11:15, and will be stopped here as long as necessary to permit the passengers to see the show.

Automobiles will meet the train, take the passengers to the orange show, where they will be given a half hour or more to take in the sights. They will then return to the train to take up their journey. The Santa Fe has consented to the stopping of the train for this purpose.

HATE WAR ON TO FAR EAST.
Japanese Steamship Companies Clout for Shipment to Orient.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
PORTLAND (Or.) March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Following closely upon the discovery, made last week, that Japan has been importing four and wheat for months past, in quantities far greater than ever before, and paying better than market quotations in this port.

RATS ATTACK
REPAIR CREW.

Big Mountain Rodents Stop
Work on Power Line Near
Tonopah, Nev.

(Associated Press Night Report.)
TONOPAH (Nev.) March 9.—Attacked by fierce mountain rats which, in search of food, had burrowed up through the snow lying waist deep on the ground, a force of men engaged last night in repairing a break in the lines of the Nevada and California Power Company, was forced to quit work and fight off the rodents. None of the men was seriously bitten. The power line is out of commission, and men have been working day and night to repair the damage done.

FLAMES DOOM
ALASKA TOWN.City of Douglas Burning and
Eight Hundred Men Fight
Fire in Vain.

(Associated Press Night Report.)
JUNEAU (Alaska) March 9.—The town of Douglas is burning, and the intense cold makes fire-fighting extremely difficult. Eight hundred men are engaged in fighting the flames, but are making no headway.

order to get prompt supplies, has come the precipitation of a rate war by the Japanese steamship companies on these very commodities, thus insuring a still greater movement of wheat and flour to Japan. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha and the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, operating out of Seattle, cut the rate on wheat and flour last Friday from \$2 to \$1.50 for wheat and \$2 for flour. Today the Portland and Asiatic Steamship Company announced that it would meet the cut, putting the half rates into effect at once.

While Statler & Co. local agents of the Waterhouse line of steamers, have received no official advice bearing on the matter, they say it is probable their concern will be obliged to meet the cut.

Operating under a heavy subsidy given by their government, the Japanese companies, it is claimed, can realize handsome profits by carrying the cereal at a dollar rate, and there is every indication that the commercial war breaking out among the various trans-Pacific freights has only begun.

Increased activity among grain buyers for Japanese firms is already evident. Mitsui & Co. have orders for in excess of 100,000 bushels for immediate transportation and the same firm will buy all grain that can be secured. In flour there is likewise a decidedly brisk movement, and on the lowering of the rate, twofold there is every reason why every line should have steamers sailing with capacity cargoes.

Tense.

ORDERS TROOPS
PROTECT CARS.

OKLAHOMA GOVERNOR DIRECTS
RIOT ABATEMENT.

Street Car Company Officials
Promise to Run Cars Under
Protection of State Militia—Unites
Close Agreement and Assaults Fol-
low Attempts to Resume.

(Associated Press Night Report.)
OKLAHOMA CITY (Okla.) March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Officials of the street car company announced tonight that their cars will run at daylight tomorrow, under protection of the state militia. The company was ordered by Oklahoma City tonight by Gov. Lee Cruce, following a riot, in which five persons were injured by street car strikers and their sympathizers. The riot was occasioned by the company's refusal to work under the terms of a new agreement, and the company officials had signed an agreement.

According to the agreement, all who were on the payroll of the company Sunday, the first day of the strike, were to be returned to work. Those who were discharged prior to that time were to be accepted back on application, and the company was to make no distinction between union and non-union men.

After fifteen cars had left the barn, union men began to collect on the downtown corners and as fast as the cars would come up, the unionists would swarm into them, demanding that motorman and conductors show union cards. Traffic was completely blocked. One conductor, attacked because he carried no card, was severely beaten up and four other persons, more or less seriously injured. All those injured were arrested, but members of the mob were not molested.

The police and sheriff's forces are unable to cope with the situation and Gov. Cruce, was so informed at 7 o'clock tonight. That Oklahoma City is tired of the strike was evidenced by the ovation that the first car received as it ran down Main street.

The lower House of Representatives, almost in a body, rushed to the windows of its hall and cheered the first car. Just then some one shouted "scab" and within ten minutes, twenty-five hundred persons had collected about the car. One company of the state militia, which has quarters here, has been mobilized, but probably will not be needed tonight as all cars have been run to the barns and no further attempt to run them will be made until tomorrow.

Then with two companies of militia, the company officials believe they will have sufficient protection to give to the citizens' service.

Early today, twelve men were arrested by city officers charged with carrying concealed weapons. They proved that they were night watchmen for the company, but were held without bond, despite the fact that according to the laws of the State murder and criminal assault are the only punishable offenses.

SECKER TRIMMED IN PARIS.

Alleged Italian Noblemen Secure
Young American's Fortune by Use of
Marked Cards and Other Devices.

(Associated Press Night Report.)
PARIS, March 9.—Three men describing themselves as Italian noblemen, were arrested today charged with having swindled Lievin Hart, a young American, out of \$50,000. The prisoners gave the names of Barletti, Carninatti and Borden, and are alleged to be wanted by the police of Italy.

According to the story told by Hart, he met the strangers at his hotel in the Place de l'Etoile, and was introduced by them at various gambling clubs. During the visit to these places, he says, the men robbed him of his entire fortune by the use of marked cards and other devices.

Three sailors from the United States armored cruiser Tennessee were found dead from gas in a room in the Hotel Washington, in Hoboken, yesterday.

BREACH MAY
LEAD TO COURT.Fight Over Missouri Pacific
Leadership Is Hot.George Gould and Banking
Interests at Odds.Brother Frank Stirs Up the
Trouble With Deal.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
NEW YORK, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A renewal of the contest for the control of the Missouri Pacific Railway, which presumably had been settled by the agreement between George J. Gould and the Kuhn, Loeb & Co. Rockefeller group, is threatened as a result of a grand jury indictment between Mr. Gould and the banking interests.

The branch was said to be widening so rapidly that the struggle may be carried into the 20th century. The annual meeting of the stockholders on March 14.

The part which Frank J. Gould has played in the work of gathering property into the hands of the Missouri Pacific, which is lending the committee named in circulars recently sent out by Middendorf, William & Co., is to be a factor in the strained relations between George J. Gould and the Kuhn, Loeb & Co. Rockefeller group, is threatened as a result of a grand jury indictment between Mr. Gould and the banking interests.

From information in other quarters it is known that the banking interests concerned in the situation are satisfied with the Goulds, and are siding with the Missouri Pacific. Gould is said to be in this position because he is acting with the approval of his brother and that the appearance of this committee in the field represents an effort to retain for the Goulds a larger voice in the Missouri Pacific than was allowed them in the division of directors agreed upon at the recent conference for the settlement of the threatened contest for control of the property.

Importance is given to this Baltimore movement by the statement made yesterday by George S. Graham, a member of the proxy committee, that it already had enough proxies to elect one director and that it looked before the meeting the committee would have enough proxies to elect two of the directors. Were these two proxies filled by the committee, it would operate with the Goulds against the Kuhn, Loeb & Co. Rockefeller interests the latter might find themselves in a minority position in the new board.

POLICE SEIZE AMMUNITION.

New York Authorities Hold Up What
Is Believed to Be Shipment Destined
for Insurrection Army.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
NEW YORK, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thirty-two thousand rifle cartridges, believed to be destined for the police to be a consignment to the insurgents in Mexico, were taken from a wagon near the docks in Erie Basin today, and are being held at the Amity-street station, Brooklyn.

The cartridges, according to Police Commissioner Russell, who led them, were shipped by Samuel Feldman, a clothier of No. 174 South street, Manhattan, who asserted he had sold to some person, whose name he could not remember, who then often bought large quantities of ammunition for shipment to the United States. The cartridges were discovered by the police in the Butler-street court today, he had a permit to sell cartridges and it is likely they will be returned to the sender.

Morris Gerber of No. 174 South street, Antonio Lorenzo of No. 774 James street, and Frank Abeyono of No. 44 Madison street, all of Manhattan, who were in the wagon and who were arrested by Russell, were discharged.

UNIVERSITY FIRES PROFESSOR.

Columbia College Discharges Dr.
Joel Elias Spingarn for Championing
Cause of Harry Peck.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
NEW YORK, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As a result, it is said, of his contention that the services of Harry Thurston Peck, the deceased professor of Latin, were entitled to some consideration, Dr. Joel Elias Spingarn, professor of comparative literature, has been relieved of his academic duties at the university.

Prof. Spingarn had nothing to say himself today, but from letters received in this morning's mail, he selected this statement, by a graduate student as sufficient for the present.

"I was informed this afternoon that your connection with the university was severed and can not tell you how sorry I was to hear it. It was a great privilege for me to be able to attend your class, and in a few months I have learned much, which I could not have learned from books in years. Your going means a great loss to me as well as to many students, present and to come to Columbia University."

The difference between Prof. Spingarn and President Butler and the rest of the faculty dates from the retirement of Prof. Peck, following the 61-breach of promise suit against the latter.

Prof. Spingarn even went so far as to say that he thought some of Prof. Peck's former friends were inclined to be unnecessarily severe on him. He had been warned that such views were inadvisable.

LAYING NEW CABLE LINE.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—A new submarine cable through the narrowest part of the South Atlantic Ocean, connecting Montevideo, Uruguay, with Pernambuco, is being laid, according to American Ambassador to Brazil Irving B. Dudley. The new cable is to be operated by a German company and is believed to be the forerunner of other cable lines from Liberia to practically all of the coast of South America, as far south as Montevideo and Buenos Aires.

One passenger was killed and several injured when the Maritima Express, a German liner, was struck by a tugboat in the harbor of Hamburg.

TO BUILD OWN RAILROAD.

Farmington (N. M.) Citizens Plan
Rich Coal Lands Which Will Tap
Line to Albuquerque Which Will Tap

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
ALBUQUERQUE (N. M.) March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After putting up hundreds of thousands in bonus, guaranteeing right of way and terminating the Southern Pacific Company, Farmington, N. M., after a lapse of several years, is tired of waiting and announces her intention of building her own railroad. The proposed route would run from Farmington to Albuquerque, Albuquerque and Gulf Railroad Company organized, enough money is in sight for the preliminary surveys and the right-of-way projects will be pushed.

Present plans call for the building of 200 miles of line to Albuquerque on the main line of the Santa Fe route, thus giving San Juan county and Farmington for the first time, direct connection with a main line.

San Juan county has enough bituminous coal to supply the United States for a hundred years, and a quarter acre of agricultural land open to entry, 40,000 acres under cultivation and water for irrigating 100,000 acres. It is estimated the proposed railroad will haul 1,000,000 tons of traffic yearly in coal, coke, lumber and other products.

KENTUCKY AILING VOTE BUYING

Sensational Disclosures Expected to
Follow Indictments by Grand Jury
Now Holding Sessions.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
LEXINGTON (Ky.) March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William May of Prestonsburg, commonwealth's attorney of the Thirty-first judicial district, today stated that a large number of indictments in the vote-selling investigation in Floyd county have already been returned to the grand jury. He said the experts between five and six hundred before the grand jury complete its work and adjourns.

Both Circuit Judge Gardner and Commonwealth's Attorney May have gone after the alleged vote sellers and vote buyers in Floyd, Magoffin and Knott counties, with the prospect of rivaling in sensation and extent the Adams county Ohio exposure.

EVEN J. P.'S HAVE AFFINITIES.

San Francisco Oriental Seeks Di-
vorce From Spouse Who Stays Out
Late With Her Soul Mate.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A Japanese wife with a soul mate, and a husband who offers objection to such breach of marital contract is discovered in a suit for divorce, filed in the Superior Court today by Kusanomori Ochi, seeking legal separation from Mrs. Tanai Onishi.

The couple were married in Seattle in July, 1928, and from that time on Mrs. Ochi has been absent from her home almost every day until midnight.

On January 11, last, the husband says he followed his spouse and is sure of her having an affair.

On Mrs. Ochi's return that night he demanded she tell him the name of her soul mate. She flew into a rage, lacerated his face with her fingernails and then left him.

This is the first divorce suit brought by a Japanese, wherein an affinity is charged.

FIRE DRILL AVERTS PANIC.

Seattle School Children March From
Burning Building to Safety Thinking
It Regular Routine.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
SEATTLE (Wash.) March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five hundred and fifty children marched from the Minor School in one minute and two seconds this morning in response to the regular fire drill going after flames had been discovered issuing from the cupola and roof of the frame structure.

Principal William A. Blair held the pupils in place as he usually does when the drill is in progress, and until they had reached the school yard did the pupils realize that their school was threatened by destruction.

The fire department erected scaling ladders and fought the blaze, the children stood by and watched. The flames were extinguished after the building had suffered considerable damage.

J. H. PACKARD DEAD.

Announcement comes from Etnasenda of the death of J. H. Packard, former manager of the Lower California Development Company, who owned 300,000 acres of land. The company's headquarters are at Etnasenda.

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"Under the Constitution of the State of California, one of the first declarations of the people is 'that all men are born free and independent, and have certain inalienable rights, among which are those of acquiring, possessing and protecting property, and pursuing and obtaining safety and happiness.'

"The right of protecting property is therefore an inalienable one, which is as dear to all Anglo-Saxon people as the right of life and liberty itself. We deny that it is within the power of the Legislature by a legislative act to say what is and what is not property. The right to carry on business if that business be a legitimate one is inalienable. The good bill of the business owned by an individual, a partnership, an association, or corporation, has been held to be property from time immemorial. In this respect, we therefore respectfully recommend that the bill not pass."

ANTI-INJUNCTION MEASURE. HARD FIGHT IN PROSPECT. (BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

SACRAMENTO, March 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] By a vote of 8 to 7, the Judiciary Committee has sent the Caminetti anti-injunction bill, prepared by San Francisco unitaries, to the Senate with a favorable report. All the Senate members voted against it and Senator Gates will present a report for the minority offering amendments that are intended to remove any points were argued, and point after point of order was made. In the end Wallace ruled that all the points of order were well taken, except the one against Julliard's request.

"I hold that this Senate or any member of it has the right to request the President to yield to advice or recommendation," Wallace held.

The question raised by Julliard, who led the fight that substituted township option for county option was that Wallace is required under precedent to make two from the prevailing majority and one of the minority on the committee. If this request had been acceded to, Wallace would have named two township unit men and one county unit man, with the result that when they met with the conference, the Assembly there would be a deadlock again and no option bill, as the Assembly committee is constituted in reverse proportion.

The parliamentary dispute was hot, and in it Wallace was sustained throughout by the clear-headed points of Thompson of Los Angeles. He declared the purpose of the request was to accomplish by indirect action what could not be accomplished directly, as the joint rules unanimously except by two-thirds vote of both houses to put the committee-naming power unqualifiedly in the hands of the president. To grant the request is to kill this bill and if we are to kill it let us do it openly and not through any subterfuge."

DISCUSS POLITICS. After clearing the points and asserting his right to name the committee without qualification, Wallace ventured on an explanation of his reasons. Two years ago, he said, on the primary bill fight, the minority had been exclusively represented. Two days later, Speaker Hewitt appointed two of the minority on his conference committee.

Then Wallace turned to Julliard and made a discussion of the bill. He said the object of opposition by the very large opposition local option; that they had made it impossible to pass against him and had flooded the State with literature; that he had accepted the fight and battled for this measure. He said he believed he had a duty to perform to those who supported him, and that the majority means must name a committee that would favor the option bill.

Julliard replied, with characteristic courtesy, that the winged powers of his district had not been in that position and had not sent out literature, and he remonstrated the insinuation that the represented the liquor men. Wallace interrupted to say he had not been personal in his remarks. A but rejoinder from Julliard, whose Huguenot blood was aroused, was halted by Caminetti, who rose, white and trembling, and said:

RECORDS EXPUNGED. "I am sorry that after my years of service in this body, I have lived to witness action such as this. I move that all reference to this request and its discussion be expunged forever from our records."

Curtin, Boynton and others made the same demand, and Boynton ended the session by moving a resolution that the incident be expunged and it is noted it is said to be the first time a resolution of the Senate has brought a president of the Senate to the floor. Julliard felt stung by the failure of first conference and this has caused feeling between him and the president. He now stands, the Wyllie bill in named Estudillo, Stetson and Thompson. Speaker Hewitt named Randall, Crookshanks, and the Assembly members will vote four to two in favor of the bill.

The rumor is persistent that a compromise may be reached by which the anti-injunction district will be offered an

SACRAMENTO.

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calling its project a great calamity, and declaring that it inserts a new and dangerous educational policy, inimical to the progress of the university. He solemnly pronounced it a scheme for a second State university and nothing else.

"Can you establish a university by statute?" asked Caminetti. "No sir, you must amend the constitution," said Stetson. "Have the South sought to amend the constitution?" asked Caminetti. Stetson said it had not, but that this would come two years from now. "We will cross that bridge when we come to it."

Argument after the Stetson speech consumed nearly an hour. At the conclusion it was announced that the debate would be postponed until 8 o'clock. At that hour Caminetti was too ill to appear, and it was continued until tomorrow afternoon. The speaker's appointment to the little man from Amador, because he is prepared to expose the whole Berkeley Political Bureau and demand that the section lines and selfishness be driven out of the question and the South dealt with justly.

PREPARING TO DEPART. The gentlemen from the South answered the roll call tonight without the hope they possessed last night, because Friday is "getaway day" for many of the members and it may carry off some who are now under duress of the Berkeley intent.

Throughout the fight President Scherer has fought valiantly and almost alone against the powerful array against him and all he has accomplished has been through sheer force of facts and logic and good faith and if the fight loses in the Senate he has no record of cowardice or malignity before the membership. On all sides his manly course has been commended.

CHARGED IN GOLD THEFT. Suspect Held at San Francisco Indicted in Oregon for Receiving Stolen Property.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) PORTLAND (Or.) March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Charles A. Barrett, who is held by the police of San Francisco, was indicted by the Multnomah county grand jury this afternoon on a charge of receiving stolen property, consisting of eight bars of gold valued at \$7000, in Portland.

The case involves the daring theft of \$50,000 in gold expressed on the steamer Humboldt from Fairbanks, Alaska, last September. At that time there was also stolen a sack of United States mail from the same ship, the sack containing \$18,000 worth of gold. The arrest of Barrett was made in connection with the detention of several persons who were supposed to have been involved in the big robbery. As Barrett is charged with receiving a part of the money while in Multnomah county, his case will be tried here.

Others will be in San Francisco and perhaps still others will be tried in Seattle. As soon as the indictments had been returned steps were taken to bring Barrett back to Portland. It is expected that he will resist extradition and it was in fear of such a move that the grand jury was called to act before an effort was made to have him returned to Portland for examination. It was reported this evening that another indictment in the case had been returned also and that an arrest is imminent.

LASHER CASE CAUSES MIX-UP. Deputy Sheriff Charged With Contempt of Oregon Court May Go Free Despite His Action.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) PORTLAND (Or.) March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Out of an effort to convict Deputy Sheriff Frank Beatty of contempt of court for helping to smuggle F. D. Lasher out of Oregon to Arizona for trial has come a mix-up which seems likely to result in setting Beatty free permanently.

Deputy Sheriff Beatty was charged with having used contemptuous language when the writ of habeas corpus was served on him. He refused to conform to its demands. Instead of giving Lasher his freedom, Beatty assisted Deputy Sheriff Wolfe of Arizona to get the prisoner out of the State.

M. O. Wilkins, who was Lasher's attorney, had served the writ of habeas corpus on Beatty, and he refused to conform to its demands. Wilkins went to the court for an order compelling Beatty to conform. The order was issued but Beatty refused to act because there had been no bond at the time the writ was served. Wilkins then filed a bond, and began a new proceeding. Beatty's attorney raised the point of previous jeopardy, and the case went over to Monday.

After Lasher left Oregon on his return to Arizona under guard of the deputy sheriff, he escaped in California and was recaptured in the slums of Los Angeles, while the officers were looking for another man.

WOMEN MAKE PHI BETA KAPPA. Sixteen California University Undergraduates Admitted Into Society, Even Being of Fair Sex.

The First National Bank of Los Angeles

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 7, 1911

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$11,988,452.60	Capital Stock Paid In	\$ 1,500,000.00
Overdrafts, Secured and Unsecured	24,857.22	Surplus Fund	300,000.00
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation	1,250,000.00	Undivided Profits, Less Expenses and Taxes Paid	2,006,600.17
Bonds to Secure U. S. Deposits	305,000.00	National Bank Notes Outstanding	1,150,000.00
U. S. Bonds on Hand	5,000.00	Due to Other National Banks	\$ 1,858,063.78
Bonds, Securities, etc. (bonds only)	962,325.00	Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,388,192.83
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	\$ 2,033,491.19	Due to Trust and Savings Banks	1,330,990.27
Due from State Banks and Bankers	250,022.54	Dividends Unpaid	1,895.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	1,021,840.33	Individual Deposits Subject to Check	10,367,692.37
Checks and Other Cash Items	142,960.72	Demand Certificates of Deposit	524,341.39
Exchange for Clearing House	424,833.94	Certified Checks	50,934.41
Notes of Other National Banks	63,930.00	Cashier's Checks Outstanding	406,967.99
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and Cents	6,468.04	U. S. Deposits	300,988.47
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.: Specie	\$1,978,486.00	Letters of Credit	86,386.85
Legal-tender Notes	689,400.00	TOTAL DEPOSITS	16,326,453.36
CASH AND SIGHT EXCHANGE	6,611,432.76	Reserved for Taxes	9,740.00
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer	62,500.00		
Customers' Liability Under Letters of Credit	83,225.85		
Total	\$21,292,793.53	Total	\$21,292,793.53

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ss. County of Los Angeles. I, W. T. S. HAMMOND, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. T. S. HAMMOND, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn before me this 9th day of March, 1911. Correct—Attest: W. N. HAMAKER, Notary Public. J. M. ELLIOTT, W. C. PATTERSON, JNO. P. BURKE, JOHN S. CRAVENS, J. C. DRAKE and M. H. FLINT, Directors.

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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 6,323,370.32	Capital	\$ 1,500,000.00
Overdrafts	34,382.42	Surplus and Undivided Profits	934,339.83
Bonds, Securities, etc.	1,766,211.61	Bond Account	150,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	815,340.73	DEPOSITS—Demand	\$ 3,054,847.86
CASH AND SIGHT EXCHANGE	1,731,138.25	Time	5,031,255.64
Total	\$10,670,443.33	Total	\$10,670,443.33

CONE AT SAN DIEGO; TORPEDO CRAFT ORDERED READY FOR SEA.

Flotilla Prepares to Sail, But Admiral Declares Visit of Social Nature—California, South Dakota and Pennsylvania at Anchor Off Southern City—Admiral Thomas Expects Orders Today.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN DIEGO (Cal.) March 9.—Rear-Admiral Hutch I. Cone, chief officer of the torpedo division, U.S.N., arrived tonight. Torpedo flotilla Commander Richardson, has been ordered to the Pacific coast of Mexico to protect the coast of the United States shall intervene in Mexico—Guaymas, Manzanillo and Salina Cruz.

The order was issued by the Mexican government, which extends through the State of Sonora from Benson, Ariz. Manzanillo is an important port further south and Salina Cruz is the Pacific port for the Tehuantepec Railroad, the most important shipping point on the Mexican coast.

Two lines of steamers make this a port of call and some of the largest freighters on the Pacific Ocean ply regularly between Salina Cruz, San Diego, San Francisco and Honolulu. Both Admiral Thomas and Gen. Bliss expect orders Friday.

Arrival of the armored cruisers California, South Dakota and Pennsylvania, Admiral Thomas in command, and the report that the fleet and the torpedo flotilla is ready for sea; report of the arrival at Ensenada of 400 Mexican troops; report to Gen. Bliss of the detachment to his command of an additional troop of cavalry from the Department of Colorado marked the developments of the day in the maneuvers of the War Department at this station.

Troops arrived here tonight twelve hours late. Admiral Thomas arrived with three cruisers at noon and the torpedo flotilla is ready for sea with steam up. Admiral Cone says he is here on a social visit.

Gen. Bliss arranged for the encampment of the Thirtieth and Eighth Infantry regiments at Ft. Rosecrans and established his headquarters at the old San Diego barracks, which have not been occupied since temporary use was made of them at the time of the Bennington explosion.

Col. St. John Chubb, in command of the Thirtieth Regiment of Infantry, and Col. Mason, in command of the Eighth, reported their progress as far as Los Angeles and that they would arrive at San Diego at midnight, having entrained during the afternoon at Los Angeles.

EXPLOSION.

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Blanco's force is reported a few miles to the southwest, and it is believed he and Cabral are acting together to capture Agua Prieta. Agua Prieta is not prepared to oppose this combined force, the city having only fifty troops, half of whom are citizen soldiers, and no machine guns.

In moving to the north shore, the soldiers eluded Col. Mora's force of Federal troops. Mora appears to have been out-generaled, although it is known that many of his men deserted after leaving Agua Prieta.

Comisario Laborio Vasquez is tonight busy at headquarters preparing for the defense of the city. The soldiers in town have shown no disposition to give up the city without a fight.

JOINT FOR JOB PRINTERS. Hitchcock Signs Contract for Four Years More of Free Return Address on Stamped Envelopes.

[WASHINGTON, March 9.—By affixing his signature to the contract for the manufacture and printing of stamped envelopes and stamped newspaper wrappers, Postmaster General Hitchcock put an end for at least four years, from July 1 next, to a contest that has waged intermittently for more than a quarter of a century.

The manufacturer is required to print on the envelopes, in orders of 500 or more, the return address of the sender at no additional cost to the purchaser.

A bill to prohibit the department from contracting for the printing of stamped envelopes was introduced in the House by Mr. Clegg, of New York, and was referred to the committee on postal affairs.

AMORY (China) March 9.—A severe epidemic of the bubonic plague is reported at Sik Ho, a village of the interior, this side of the Lung Kiang, and fifty miles from Amoy. Sik Ho is the seat of a mission station of the board of foreign missions of the Reformed Church of America.

DR. BURKE SEEKS BAIL. SANTA ROSA, March 9.—Dr. William P. Burke, under sentence of ten years imprisonment in San Quentin for having dynamited the tent house of Luella Smith on the grounds of his sanitarium, applied to Superior Judge Sewell today to be admitted to bail, pending a decision in his case by the Appellate court. His petition was based on the ground of ill health. Argument on the motion consumed the entire day.

FOUR DIE IN COLLISION. MONCTON (N. B.) March 9.—Three men and a boy are reported killed and several injured, in a collision on the Inter-Colonial Railway, at Derby Junction today.

CHOLERA IN HONOLULU. HONOLULU, March 9.—The twenty-fifth case of cholera, the first outside

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WANTED - San Joaquin County Sheriff's Office has information that a person who is wanted by law is currently residing in the area. If you have any information regarding this individual, please contact the Sheriff's Office at (916) 878-1234.

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Floods Threaten Many Ranches.

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Ranches about Corona were flooded last evening but no considerable damage by washing away of soil was reported.

BRIDGES SUFFER.

Considering the extent of the rain the steam and electric railroad lines centering in Los Angeles suffered rather small losses. The Santa Fe and Santa Ana railroads report no damage except that a small culvert on the Santa Fe branch of the Salt Lake was out for a few hours yesterday. The damage was repaired to permit the passage of trains to meet the Yale and Harvard of the Pacific Navigation Company.

The Ventura bridge on the Southern Pacific coast line went out at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. H. V. Platt, general superintendent of the southern district, went at once to the scene of the disaster. The Southern Pacific north of Santa Barbara is still out of commission because of flood damage caused Monday.

On the Whittier-La Habra route the freight bridge over the Rio Hondo River, one and one-half miles west of River, was washed out. The Los Angeles River has spread out over the tracks below the city, but so far with no interruption to traffic. Dirt was washed on the tracks of the Los Angeles Pacific at Sherman with no interference, however, with the movement of traffic. No damage was reported up to late last night on the tracks of the Los Angeles and Redondo Railroad.

While the tracks of the Los Angeles Railway corporation, the city lines, were submerged at a number of points, there was no stoppage of traffic except on the Western-avenue branch of the Boyle Heights line at Fourth and Catalina streets, where the tracks were submerged to such a depth as to stop traffic at that point. According to R. E. Wells, general manager of the Santa Fe Railroad, no trouble has been experienced in getting trains through on that line.

Over the Santa Fe line the Meadow Valley Wash, the scene of several disastrous washouts in the last year or two, has a considerable rainfall, but with no damage to the Santa Fe tracks. A small culvert at Hobart on the San Pedro branch was washed out, but was repaired in a few hours. The Santa Fe Railroad has moved trains on time over the entire Coast line despite the rains. In the past few years the Santa Fe has been spending large sums on relaying and rebuilding its tracks. The wisdom of these expenditures is shown by the present stability of the line.

"We are getting back a few dividends on the amounts we have spent in the past few years on our roads," said J. J. Byrnes, assistant general traffic manager of the Santa Fe, last night. "No where on the Coast line, extending as far east as Albuquerque and south to San Diego, have we had any washouts and our trains are running as usual."

Aside from the washing out of the bridge at Ventura yesterday afternoon there have been no damage to the tracks in the territory operated by H. V. Platt, general superintendent of the southern district of the Southern Pacific, extending from Santa Barbara to Fresno and El Paso, including the lines to the Imperial Valley. There is no interruption of traffic as far as the handling of trains between Los Angeles and the East is concerned.

A report that the Rio Hondo wagon bridge has been completely washed away, and the fill which has been made at the east approach where the ground is low was swept away. The river had jumped its bank near the Taylor ranch, about a mile west and a little south of there, and the flood was raging down the road into Downey. This means a great loss and much damage to the ranches and residents in that district. About one hundred acres of the County Poor Farm near Downey is under water, and the raging torrent has taken out the vegetable garden and completely flooded the farm.

From Clearwater to Compton the ranches were almost entirely under water.

due here at 2:35 o'clock this afternoon, is stalled on the other side of the washout and advises tonight give no hope for relief until tomorrow. Redlands reports no damage. The precipitation at San Bernardino, storm, 1.18, season 15.06; Redlands, storm, .40, season, 15.05.

Considerable damage has been done in Colton by the present storm. It is only by the hardest work that Lytle Creek is prevented from breaking the levee on North Eighth street. At the Santa Fe tracks just beyond, it is rushing with tremendous force through an eucalyptus grove belonging to W. W. Wilcox, tearing the trees out by the roots.

The course which Lytle Creek has now taken was the one which it left twenty-five years ago. Tenth and Eleventh streets are washed out, and the F-street viaduct under the Southern Pacific tracks had to be torn out in order to let the large stream of water through. Where the F-street bridge stood is a stream thirty feet wide.

A close watch is being kept by the railroad for debris and for the possibility of being washed out, it being stated that if the water rises another foot all the bridges are doomed.

Go to Ocean.

BOTTOM LANDS WASHED TO SEA.

LOS ALAMOS RESIDENTS PUT ON SHORT RATIONS.

Both Pipe Lines of the Associated Oil Company in the Santa Maria Field Destroyed in Many Places. Santa Maria Inundated and All Business Establishments Closed.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SANTA BARBARA, March 9.—More than 1000 acres of rich bottom land has been washed into the sea by the raging Santa Maria River, in the northern part of Santa Barbara county. The river is still rising as a result of continued storms in the mountains, although the sky is clear above the lower valley.

A large barn on the Bonetti ranch, north of the mouth of the stream, has been carried away. Beet fields have suffered great damage near Santa Maria and Lompoc. Because of the fact that all means of communication with the northern part of the county have been seriously affected, it is impossible to secure accurate reports as to the extent of the havoc caused by the storm.

Santa Maria, however, is inundated, and all business establishments were closed today, and the loss to merchandise stocks has been great. The storm also affects the oil fields about Santa Maria, and the Union Oil Company reports the breaking of a 5,000-barrel reservoir.

The Southern Pacific bridge at Guadalupe has been undermined, and the damage along other points of the line are of character that make it impossible to predict when the service on the coast line to the North will be resumed. Conditions between here and Los Angeles are reported serious.

It is estimated that the damage to highways will reach \$100,000. Lompoc reports the loss of 200 acres as the result of the action of the Santa Ynez River. The stream is now at its highest-known point and still rising.

Both pipe lines of the Associated Oil Company in the Santa Maria field have been destroyed in many places. The inhabitants of Los Alamos have been placed on three-quarter rations, as the food supply there is limited.

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NO TRAINS RUNNING INTO VENTURA YESTERDAY.
One Man Loses House and Barn and Several Acres of Apricot Orchard—Plant of Ventura County Gas Company Flooded and Put Out of Commission.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] VENTURA, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Flood conditions have prevailed in this county today and thousands of dollars of damage has been done in various sections.
A heavy downpour of rain all of last night and today raised the rivers of the county to an alarming height and torrents of water poured down to the sea, carrying everything before them.
At noon today the Ventura and Santa Clara rivers were at the highest in their history. The flood waters carried away sixty feet of the steel railroad bridge over the Ventura River here, while the railroad bridge over the Santa Clara had two of its steel spans carried away.
The county bridge at Montavito was also put out of commission by having part of its western end washed out, while the Santa Clara bridge over the Santa Clara river was not expected to last through the day against the raging waters of Santa Clara Creek.
There have been no trains here today from any direction, and the county is marooned.
Besides the bridge damage the farmers living along the streams lost much land. One man at Santa Paula lost his

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WISE LIMITATION.
Under a recent law enacted in Nevada an offender sentenced to die may elect to be hanged, shot or poisoned. It is well to limit the choice to three methods, or he might choose to die of old age.

NOTICE TO TROOPS.
Notice is hereby served on troops in the Imperial Valley to be careful not to tramp down the cotton crop and myriads of other growing crops that are now heading for a harvest to beat the band in that fertile and productive part of our commonwealth.

A QUALIFICATION.
If the suffragettes are to have the ballot for Miss Jane Addams for the Presidency, she says she never in her life spent more than \$10 for a new hat. That would be a strong argument with father. But would Jane be the same if she left the village?

UNUSUAL.
At the risk of hearing a tourist laugh we desire to state positively that the weather we have been having for many days past is decidedly rare for Los Angeles. We haven't had so much steady rain since the spring of 1869 when a rich old colored lady, here resident, gave a lot of money to relieve the victims of a flood in the Los Angeles River.

THE DEFT OF BERTHOLD.
"Gen." Berthold, who is probably neither an American nor a Mexican, announces that he stands ready to fight the troops of both nations if necessary. If the soldiers on both sides of the international line will throw away their guns and enter into a mouth-to-mouth contest with Berthold we will wager a large sum against a doughnut that he will rout the combined forces in less than forty-eight hours.

"MOTHER ENGLAND."
The cable dispatches announce that England, commonly known as "The Mother Country," is again excited because our government is mobilizing troops on the Mexican border. England has always thrown its whenever this nation has done anything of that kind, but in the present instance she is probably thinking of Champ Clark's joke and fearing that next thing we do will be to string some soldiers along the Canadian border.

WHERE THE TRAILS MEET.
Surely if there were ever a place on the face of the earth where all the trails of the world meet, that place is Los Angeles. In the course of any given year this city entertains more distinguished men and women than any other spot on the globe.

Just now we have been extending the glad hand to Sylvia Pankhurst. Jacob Rills comes next and Col. Roosevelt is on the way. John Burroughs ducks in and out upon us from Riverside. Army and navy celebrities come and go, not to speak of orators, sages, poets and captains of industry.

Leaving famous folk out of the discussion, if an ordinary man desires to see an old boyhood friend from any other State in the Union or from any foreign land, all he need do is to stand awhile on a Los Angeles street corner and the old friend will in due time put in an appearance.

GOOD AND BAD.
Locally, at least, the Irish no longer beat the Dutch. Of ten new-made citizens in Los Angeles this week only one was a native of the Green Isle, while the other nine came from Germany. Citizens from abroad are like the citizens native born. They are not all good and they are not all bad. They strike a happy average. Perhaps they go a little beyond the average, because a man possessing the get-up-and-go that leads him to a new land knows enough to try to better his condition and has the energy which is at least one qualification of success. In the same way the West has always attracted the cream of the East and of the Middle West. Usually it is the comparatively young man, with most of his life before him, who will turn his back upon the home of his youth and take chances in a rich, inviting country, holding for him the large possibilities of his ambitions. Thus it is that among the assets of California and all of the Southwest none is greater than its sterling manhood.

THE PRIMITIVE.
One man in this city is suing another for damages in the sum of \$25,000 for stealing the affections of his wife. It sometimes happens upon this sorrowful star that men and women bring one another the awful shock and heartache of betrayal. When this is so neither murder nor civil suit can mend the lives that have been broken upon the rock of passion. Vengeance cannot satisfy and surely money can never do so. Payment is made in a sort of eternal coin and the suffering is as much to those who do the wrong as to those who are wronged. It is one of the pitiful tragedies of life having its root in those weaknesses of humanity which lead to every kind of untruth expressed in the innumerable follies of mankind. The primitive man will go on slaying those who seek his undoing and a weaker type will go on seeking financial satisfaction; the unwritten law will go on freeing those who slay, and society will go on holding in contempt the man who aches for money; but until the race finds a common heart of integrity and men and women

THE MEXICAN SITUATION.

The yellow press, the sensation mongers of the country, are trying their best to shriek this country into a quarrel with Mexico. To this end they are mistaking and misrepresenting the purpose of President Taft in ordering the mobilization of our troops on the frontier.

The Mexican authorities fully comprehend the purpose of the United States in placing an army on the border, and they are not borrowing any trouble about it. Without the presence of such force there would be violations of the neutrality laws that might give occasion to the Mexican government to rightfully demand a large money indemnity from this country, and our government would fail of its duty if it did not take measures to protect our sister republic from the depredations of the adventurers, the ruffians, the chicken thieves, the Industrial Workers of the World and the companies of blackguards who, from all parts of the United States, are flocking toward the Mexican border intent on pillage.

The Mexican insurrections are mainly composed of tramps and bandits whose principal object is plunder. They will not—if the American frontier shall be inadequately guarded—confine their depredations to the Mexican side of the line. They will, unless prevented, cross the Rio Grande and loot every American border town from the Gulf of Mexico to the Gulf of California. It is to protect the lives and property of both Americans and Mexicans living on the American side of the border, and to enforce the neutrality laws, that American soldiers have been ordered to the Sonora and Chihuahua lines.

It has been the openly expressed threat of the "reds" that, after pillaging Mexico, they would proceed to depopulate the "nabobs"—meaning every man with a few hundred or thousand dollars' worth of property, every industrious and thrifty citizen—on the American frontier. But all the powers of the American commonwealth will be enlisted, if need be, to prevent the reign of anarchy on any foot of American soil.

UNCONSTITUTIONAL LAWS.
The Constitution declares that no person accused of crime shall be compelled to give evidence against himself, but the L. R. solons at Sacramento are proposing to enact an amendment of the Criminal Code that will compel the defendant to testify. It is true that the proposed law will provide that testimony of a defendant, when given under compulsion, shall not be used against him. But this will not protect him, for, while his evidence thus obtained may not be directly used against him, yet the information procured from his compulsory testimony will often disclose facts the evidence of which may be obtained from other witnesses.

The Constitution declares that every man on trial for crime shall have a right to be confronted with the witnesses against him, but the L. R. solons at Sacramento propose to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure as to dispense with the personal attendance of a witness and allow evidence taken on a former trial to be read to the jury.

That too much laxity has been practiced in our criminal courts and too many substantial technicalities have been permitted to obstruct and sometimes to hamper the course of justice, is doubtless true, but a remedy that would strip even a murderer or a thief of those rights which the wisdom of centuries has declared to be necessary for his protection in Anglo-Saxon courts would be worse than the disease which it is sought to cure.

The Times has no sympathy for "undesirable citizens" and little tolerance for their unlawful acts, but it believes that the laws governing the punishment of crime may be made effective without violating our organic law.

SOCIALISTIC FOLLY.
If it were possible to stop the first 100 men one meets on Broadway or Spring street and question them concerning their history and their condition and receive correct replies the result would be a demonstration of the inequality of fortune which exists in civilized society. There would be one or two millionaires, there would be one or two who families are starving, and probably more than fifty in a state of anxiety as to the method of obtaining their daily bread.

How did these inequalities of condition come about and by what process is it possible to remove them? It is not possible to remove them by law, for they are the result of personal characteristics and not of social organizations. The cities are full of millionaires who began life with no other capital than their hands and their brains, and among the paupers may be found many men who began life as rich men's sons.

Our form of government gives every child born or brought here that which Europe denies him—equality of opportunity. Seven out of sixteen Presidents of the United States—Jackson, Lincoln, Johnson, Grant, Garfield, Hayes and McKinley—were born of humble parentage, each inherited no fortune, each pursued in early life laborious occupation and each was, in the main, self-educated. The multi-millionaires—the captains of industry and kings of finance—were all poor boys. John Jacob Astor was a peddler, Cornelius Vanderbilt was a boatman, Jay Gould was a surveyor, the Armours were farmers' boys, C. P. Huntington was a clerk, Rockefeller was a bookkeeper, Carnegie was an iron worker, and Mackay was a working miner.

The list of men who have made their own great fortunes or achieved distinction in politics, in literature, in science and in art without adventitious aid from any source might be lengthened indefinitely and it is a list which offers an unanswerable argument to the demand of socialism as expressed in the formula "that each man shall have according to his needs and each man shall do according to his abilities."

The equality of condition that would be produced by making the industrious share the results of their industry with the slothful, the economical divide with the spendthrift, and that would make Abraham Lincoln or Theodore Roosevelt with the California insurgents who are misusing their initials as an equality of which socialist dreamers may dream, but it will never come.

Just a Warning.



A WORD TO THE FOREIGNER.

When a foreigner comes to the hospitable shores of America to enlist our sympathy for some cause wherein the American nation is not directly interested, in his attempts to move our hearts or loosen our purse strings, he is very apt to fall into one of two errors. He may expect to impress us with his hyperbolic and sudden affection for our surroundings and our institutions, when we know all the time that he is too new to the country to have explored the one or to understand the other. Or he may think to work upon our national pride by belittling the country to which he belongs and by drawing comparisons disparaging to his own kith and kin.

In either case he will fail of his object. No nation is so quick to catch the note of insincerity in the mouths of its critics as our shrewd common-sense republic. We resent the obvious flattery of the favor-seeker with its implied slur on our mother wit—while, as intense lovers of our own country, we feel only contempt for the man who disparages the land of his birth to curry favor with another people. For the same reason the abuse of the foreigner slips away from us like water off a duck's back. Possibly he may see faults in us of which we ourselves are not aware, or find virtues in us which we ourselves had never suspected. Such being the case, let him point them out to us in a frank and open manner; then if convinced we are ready to acknowledge our newly divulged transgressions, or to blush coyly at the sudden unfolding of our unexpected virtues. All we ask is that our critics approach us in a spirit of sincerity. We are always ready for an amicable exchange of views with our friends or an open rough-and-tumble with our enemies. There is absolutely no spite in the American make-up.

We have forgiven Charles Dickens his ridiculous and overdrawn pictures of American society; and we have no malice in them; he was a born caricaturist and couldn't help it; but we are not so likely to forget the unsportsmanlike conduct of Lord Dunsen over the defeat of his yacht, while we hardly notice the sneers of a writer like Rita, the beloved of British butlers and French chambermaids. So, when modern crusaders, whether they be pleading for the Jews in Russia or the patriots in Ireland or the voteless females in London, seek to enlist our sympathy for their various causes, it behooves them above everything else to be sincere; not to try and wheedle us with flattery of ourselves or to impress us with speaking disparagingly of the race to which they belong. John Redmond has endeared himself to the hearts of the American people because he always put his own country first. He spoke of Ireland as we would wish an American to speak of America when addressing an audience of foreigners; as an Englishman should speak of England or a Frenchman of France. These are the foreigners who, when they become naturalized, will be the most loyal and staunch defenders of their adopted country. While they will not forget to keep a warm spot in their hearts for the old country of their birth, they will stand honestly by the new country to which they have wedded their lives and their abilities, remembering the biblical injunction, that a man shall leave father and mother and be joined to his wife.

The loyal Saxon or Teuton or Celt will make a loyal American when he swears allegiance to his new country. Socialists and laborites and trouble-breeders were never true to the land of their birth or their adoption. Uncle Sam asks for loyalty and sincerity, and his hospitable gates are open to every worthy home-seeker. He is like Thoreau's man who lived in a hollow tree. "I sat at table," he said, "where were rich food and wine and obsequious attendance, but sincerity and truth were not; and I went away hungry from the inhospitable board." I called on a king, but he made me wait in a hall. There was a man in my neighborhood who lived in a hollow tree.

THE EXPERIENCES OF A HUNGARIAN NOBLEMAN.

The Baron Richard von Arkov of Hungary is instructing New Yorkers in the art of going some. He came over from England on the Lusitania along with Lord Decies' party. On the way some Chicago sports undertook to instruct the Baron in the great American game of which he professed ignorance. The gamblers permitted their victim to win \$1000 the first evening, and the victim then suffered an attack of cold feet, and for the rest of the voyage limited his sporting to shuffle board and potato races.

The Baron was arrested in front of the desk at the Hotel Plaza in New York city on the complaint of Julio S. Jarron, the Cuban Vice-Consul, who charged him with the larceny of two platinum crucibles. The Baron admitted the crucibles and, borrowed them of Jarron in order to take them to a Hungarian jeweler of his acquaintance for examination. Instead of doing this, he pawned them for \$40 and then sold the pawn tickets. When he was arrested and on his way to police headquarters he requested the officer to stop with him at the Night and Day Bank so that he could draw some money with which to furnish cash bail. On the officer consenting, the Baron drew his personal check for \$3000, which was promptly cashed. At police headquarters there was found in his overcoat pocket a pair of nickel-plated brass knuckles provided with spikes. He claimed that these were the insignia of his membership in the Apache Club in Paris. He remarked that he had large landed estates in Hungary and had acquired the degrees of bachelor of arts, doctor of philosophy, doctor of political economy and doctor of laws from the universities of Budapest, Munich and Oxford. He was a member of the Metropolitan and Racquet Clubs of New York city and of the Wellington Club of London. He requested the use of the telephone that he might call up a lady at the Plaza Hotel and ask her to make the proper apologies to guests whom he had invited to a dinner party there. But he gave bail and went back to the hotel in time to give the dinner. It was ascertained by the police that his story was true and that he came from a fine family in Hungary.

The Baron accounted for obtaining the platinum crucibles from Jarron by saying that he won them from Jarron in a poker game and that he pawned them as the easiest way of disposing of them. Not a lordly explanation—a really democratic, not to say populist, explanation.

UNCLE WALT.
The Poet Philosopher.

How sweet it is to take your seat, when hungry, at a groaning board, and loosen up your belt and eat! The man thus gifted can afford to grin at all life's little ills, as fortune's frowns, however grim, at drug-gists and at doctors' bills—this world is just a snap to him! Dyspeptic people, driven daft, by foolish fads, look on and say: "He ought to try the Fletcher graft, and chew his food a half a day. To swallow smoking food like that, is nothing better than a sin; yet he seems strong and healthy fat, and we are bilious, weak and thin!" Another crank looks on aghast, and cries: "Great ginger! What a shame! That man should try a three weeks' fast if he would strengthen up his frame! To eat so fiercely violates the rules that modern science springs; yet he seems well, while fasting sages are slowly dying up, by jings!" And other faddists wag the jaw, and keep the air with protests warm; he ought to eat, his vitals raw, or, take them down in capsule form. He loves to hear the dinner horn invite him to increase his weight; he laughs the idle fads to scorn, and eats as Father Adam ate.

WALT MASON.
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Postmaster-General Hitchcock can hardly expect now to see his picture, accompanied by an appreciative sketch, in any of the magazines. [Boston Globe.]

Only occasionally do you find a genius.

THE COSTLY BLUNDERS OF "RECLAMATION."

BY COL. ED F. BROWNE.

The report of the United States Senate Committee on the blunders of the Reclamation Service published in Sunday morning's Times may surprise many people, but that scathing criticism fails to show how utterly impracticable the men have proved to be who originated this scheme of fraternal socialism and how incompetent are most of the employees engaged in construction. The committee hints at a probable loss, while it is plain to anyone knowing conditions that the people will lose about \$50,000,000 by these foolish speculations. This bureau was one of the pets of the last administration and, along with "Forest Reserves" and "Conservation of Resources," was the favorite fad of the "new national" theorists. It was fostered by the schemer Newlands, misrepresented by Pinchot, permitted by the weak Garfield, and pushed by the impulsive Roosevelt into an apparent position entirely opposite to what has been achieved by results. Where the loss of \$50,000,000, the only unfortunate feature, it would be bad enough, but these governmental bunco steers have misled many poor farmers and will ruin more deserving men who may attempt to meet the conditions imposed.

A few years ago when I called attention to the fact that the Truckee-Carson venture was a failure, after its completion, many of my friends accused me of allowing my anti-socialistic feeling to prejudice my business judgment. I was the first to call attention to this ridiculous "blunder" and when I found out that Newlands had sold 6000 acres of practically worthless desert land to the government for "reservoir purposes" at \$5 per acre I was convinced that the "father of the Reclamation Service" would not lose anything, even if the people should lose the nearly \$4,000,000 invested.

The Truckee-Carson venture is now to be further exploited through the use of a clearly unconstitutional fund provided by the last Congress. The loss on the venture will ultimately be about \$5,000,000, even if the people of California allow Lake Tahoe to be drained into the Truckee, because the lands to be improved certainly do not amount to 50,000 acres, although the reclamation engineers estimated 300,000 at first. Over 300,000 acres under the Truckee-Carson venture would not even raise weeds if Lake Superior was run over it twice a month, because it is straight volcanic ash with a hardpan beneath which would have to be shot with giant powder before it would become porous enough to retain moisture.

No true American can go among the unfortunate farmers who have attempted to locate there and hear their story of hardship and loss without feeling that the most important fraud ever devised by Washington authorities could issue should be against the Reclamation Service.

The farmers have lost their money, their time and their right to locate government land and some of the poor dupes are today working at day labor because they cannot get away. A private corporation would let them change their location or help them out of the country as they would desert out. But the government customers have been deceived; but the Reclamation Service, run from Washington under ironclad rules established, fixes it so that if a locator defaults he is lost. That is all.

It creates a local tyranny repugnant to American ideas and will necessitate the creation of a new class of serfs. The government has examined several of these ventures and there is not one but which becomes ridiculous when considered in a business light. The law plainly states that the reclamation fund was to be used to reclaim arid government land and two-thirds of the expense incurred by the government in the process of reclamation was to be paid by the land owners who had located more land than they could afford to irrigate themselves or lands long passed from government ownership through purchase or grant.

The Roosevelt dam in Arizona, a comical financial tragedy for the taxpayers, but a glorified private scam for the land speculators around Phoenix.

The people here advanced about \$8,000,000 to a lot of land sharks in the Salt River Valley, charging no interest, and the land speculators have agreed to pay back the money in ten installments.

The people here are benefited by the trade, and no government land to locate under the venture.

The payments will soon become a burden and I warn those fellows that when the time to pay does come they will find that the government will use no discretion in collecting; it is "cash" or off go your wares. I predict that one-third of the land under the Roosevelt dam will default.

The other venture tributary to Los Angeles is the Laguna dam above Yuma. This dam turns the water out of the Colorado River onto an Indian reservation on the California side, and just below Yuma the water is carried to the Colorado River by an inverted siphon or tunnel. The remarkable engineers (?) have supposed that the sun-baked layers of sand exposed below Yuma were sandstone, and that the tunnel beneath the river would be in sandstone. They will find that their tunnel will be in quicksand and that the water already has "lost their shaft," in miners' parlance, in Arizona, and the cost of this venture will be double what was estimated if it is made successful at all.

The reclamation engineers have proved to be the limit on "guessers," however, when estimates of expenses are considered.

In Colorado the Gunnison tunnel was estimated at a figure which appeared so ridiculous that every man used to tunnel work refused to even bid or consider the matter. The engineers estimated that the work could be done and water furnished at about \$25 per acre and farmers signed an agreement to pay, that amount. The tunnel cost \$2,500,000 more than the estimate and I have letters from Senator Teller of late date saying that he believed the land would have to pay from \$100 to \$125 per acre. The remarkable engineers say \$95 per acre.

Now it is no trick to build a big dam, if you have the money, and run water through ditches onto land below, but these government engineers forget to figure whether the land was worth the expense incurred.

In the Yuma venture I am frank to say that, in my mind, there must be some new kind of lunatic developed when I hear of a man paying even the \$10 per acre asked for government land under the Laguna dam and expending \$25 per acre to level for irrigation and then agree to pay \$65 or more for water, if he gets it.

The reclamation ventures should be stopped and turned over to the people who will be benefited. It would be cheaper to give them now to the men who will be benefited than attempt a governmental control for a single day. The system of landlording introduced by "forestry" rules, leading to resources and construction of irrigation

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Events in Local Society

THE quiet of the Lenten period will be broken now and then by an engagement or two, which will add the necessary flavor of merriment to the close of a brilliant season.

Miss Addie Vera Sandison, who has made Los Angeles her home since she was a small tot, has returned from a fashionable girl's school in the North to announce her betrothal to Tirrell W. Fletcher. This news was told at a luncheon given yesterday by Miss Ruth Gantland, a classmate of Miss Sandison. The table was decorated with a handsome centerpiece of lily of the valley and maidenhair ferns, sent from the Bay City by the happy groom-to-be, who also enclosed a beautiful diamond to be used in spreading the news. May has been chosen for the month of the wedding, which will be a large affair. Guests seated at the pretty table yesterday were: Mrs. E. W. Sandison, mother of the bride-elect, Mrs. J. A. Howard, Mrs. T. Devitt, Mrs.



Miss Addie Vera Sandison, of this city, who has returned from Mills College to announce her betrothal to Tirrell W. Fletcher of San Francisco.

George Mansfield, Mrs. Ernest Lerock, Mrs. Paul Gray, Miss Helen Spencer, Miss Edna Sandison, Miss Beatrice Chambers, Miss Mabel Lewis, Miss Elanthe Green, Miss Hattie Keith, Miss Louise Blondeau and Miss Hazel Keeler. Mr. Fletcher is connected with an insurance concern.

At Seashore.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius V. Seyler, of the Burlington Apartments, with their guest, Mrs. J. P. Friedlein of Michigan, are domiciled in their cottage at East Newport. They will remain until July 1.

Visiting Relative.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Elam Aris of Dayton, O., are visiting at the home of Mrs. A. W. Gump, sister of Mrs. Aris.

Club Party.

Mrs. George P. Ford of No. 3007 Grand avenue, had as guests, recently, members of the Bougainville Club, whom she entertained with a 3 o'clock luncheon. Mrs. Ada Marsh Dalton was the honored guest. Cut glass baskets filled with ferns and carnations formed attractive decorations. Prizes were captured by Mrs. Iversen, Mrs. Sutton and Mrs. Curtis. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Herbert Wright, Mrs. Anna Curtis and Mrs. Frances L. McNeal. The guests present were: Mrs. Lena Stannard, Mrs. Rosa J. Burns, Mrs. Louise Swift, Mrs. B. Cook, Mrs. G. Ashley, Mrs. Rose M. Hathaway, Dr. Ann Hopkins, Mrs. E. Kern, Mrs. M. Sanborn, Mrs. R. Raymond, Mrs. J. C. Le Masters, Mrs. F. Hall, Mrs. I. Iversen, Mrs. D. Riley, Mrs. M. West, Mrs. M. Sutton, Mrs. A. Wilson, Mrs. C. Woodyard, Mrs. J. F. Blanchard, Mrs. M. Elliott and Mrs. E. Johnson Bailey.

Violet Luncheon.

Mrs. William Francis Herndon of No. 128 Whitley avenue, Hollywood, will entertain today with a violet luncheon, in honor of Mrs. George Judd, cousin of Mrs. Stoddard Jess of No. 218 Harvard boulevard. Hand-painted favors and place cards in violet and gold will mark covers for Mrs. Robert Roseberry, Mrs. F. Wallace Wellman, Mrs. A. M. Bryant, Mrs. William Mills, Mrs. Ernest Layton, Mrs. Philo J. Beveridge, Mrs. Joseph Kinney, Mrs. Frances Meline and Miss Pearl Herndon.

Informal Tea.

Complimentary to Rear-Admiral and Mrs. Hutch I. Cone, Mrs. Philip Wilson of No. 244 South Union avenue, will entertain with an informal tea party this afternoon. The guests will include friends of Rear-Admiral and Mrs. Cone.

Recent Wedding.

In the presence of immediate relatives only, Miss Mattie Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott of Westminster, was united in marriage, yesterday, to Ross L. Wilson of this city. The service was read by Rev. A. M. Pruitt of the Calvary Presbyterian Church, in the new residence of the young people. After the 15th inst., Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will be at home at No. 1214 West Forty-second street.

Invitations Out.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Elmore have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Miriam, to Charles O. Goodwin, which will be solemnized the evening of the 25th inst., in the Magnolia-avenue Christian Church.

Expected Home.

Mrs. W. D. Armstrong of No. 1423 Albany street, is expected home Saturday, from a visit of three months' with her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Shibley of Phoenix, Ariz. Her absence was prolonged by the serious illness of Mr. Shibley, who has been ill with typhoid, but who is now out of danger and convalescing.

Birthday Surprise.

Mrs. R. H. Craig of No. 1022 West Twenty-fifth street entertained at a dinner party recently in celebration of Mr. Craig's birthday anniversary. The affair was a surprise to Mr. Craig, who found the guests assembled at his home upon his return from town. Fragrant flowers and ferns brightened the home. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Perry Craig and Mrs. T. Taylor of Long Beach; Mrs. Ida Taylor of Pasadena; Mrs. Vanderbilt of Santa Ana; Mrs. George H. Heigold, Mrs. F. Ritter, Dr. J. J. Choate and Mr. J. Wesley Wilson of Los Angeles.

Engagement Announced.

Nussebaum of Glendale. The wedding will be solemnized in the fall. An informal reception will be given on the 15th inst. at the home of the bride-elect's mother.

Guest of Parents.

Mrs. James P. Fargo of New York City is a house guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson King of St. James Park. Mrs. Fargo is accompanied by her daughter, Miss Clara.

Box Party.

The Misses Rehnman of Ocean Park recently entertained with a box party at the Belasco followed by tea at Hotel Alexandria. Miss Anna Kellam was present as special guest and those who made up the party included Miss Ora Wilson, Miss Birdetta Wilson, Miss Florence Thresher, Miss Ethelyn Walker, Miss Alice Atwell, Miss Bertha Ducommun, Miss Mildred Maier, Miss Lydia Kellum, Miss Margaret Woolcott, Miss Ethel Rehnman, Miss May Rehnman, Mrs. Mamie Moore and Mrs. March Shelton.

Another Betrothal.

Another betrothal made known today is that of Miss Ray Solomon to Joseph Schwartz, which is formally announced by the bride-elect's sister, Mrs. C. Simons of No. 419 Centennial street.

Secret Discovered.

Miss Mabel V. Quick of Great Falls, Mont., and Harold Stickler Sparks of Los Angeles were married December 20, but their closest friends didn't know till yesterday. Mr. Sparks is a son of a wealthy Los Angeles family and went to Great Falls to learn the trade in the smelters. He sought a room at the home where Miss Quick resided, and before he had been long a lodger he became a lover. There was no love lost, however, for Miss Quick was willing to become Mrs. Sparks at an early date. Sparks cleared Sparks senior might think he ought not to marry so young, so they were married secretly. The fact leaked out through the court records. Mr. and Mrs. Sparks will leave Saturday for Los Angeles, where the bride will be introduced into her new home.

HOBBLE, HOBBLE, TOIL AND TROUBLE.

BY DEBORAH.

She was startlingly thin, and was encased in a tube dress which made her look like an anglerworm.

The angle was even more apparent when she started to climb on to a street car. Her fashionable shoes pitched her forward to an alarming degree, her willow plume hung at half-mast from her flag-pole of a hat, and she paused for a minute with one foot on the pavement and one on the car step, while she interviewed the motorman with regard to where she wanted to go.

In this pose she was principally knees, elbows, and heels. She was the most remarkable effect in human zigzags that I ever saw.

Looking upon her, I realized why the ancient poet said that art is long. It is because art, like history, repeats itself. This twentieth century woman, with her rectangular figure, her upright head-dress and her foldless gown, might have just stepped out of an Egyptian frieze. She would have looked more in keeping with a background of pyramids than modern skyscrapers. And everybody knows how exquisitely graceful those Egyptian figures are.

Harrison Fisher Beauty Pictures.

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Dreams Clipped.

SAYS SUFFRAGE IS NO CURE-ALL.

I was in a company of clever girls recently when the present extremes of dress were in for abuse. One speaker suggested that each narrow-skirted gown ought to be supplied with a good stout loop at the back of the neck, and each street car conductor with an ice hook, so that he could reach out and lift the lady on to the car when circumstances forbade her stepping up by herself. Another, in deep disgust, amended to the effect that the gowns themselves should "get the hook."

One would think that simple vanity, that stern dictator in so many feminine affairs, would restrain women from making the spectacle of themselves that present styles make possible. For every small-footed woman who looks trim and attractive when dressed like a capital V, there are ten or more of the big-foot variety who get the large, ambling, bovine effect. And the bigger the feet, the scunter the skirts, always.

To condemn a large piece of chewing gum to hard labor between the teeth of such a mold of form, so complete the picture that one might almost think at times that Spot or Clover had escaped from the pasture lot and come for a stroll down Broadway.

Every woman who arrays herself for the street in a costume so inartistic and incongruous as a scant tailor suit with decollete bodice, gaudy hose and pumps, and furs enough for a polar being, apparently imagines that she is a thing of beauty and a joy forever. But she is merely the unfortunate victim of auto-suggestion. If there is such a counter-irritant as ought-not-to-suggestion—to borrow a pun from Punch—what someone come forward and supply it for the sake of the suffering spectator?

If only such women could be inoculated with a sense of humor, what a sea-straining laugh they would have at themselves!

SORRY SHE MUST GO.

Miss Pankhurst, militant Suffragette, regrets Not Having Seen More Southern California Sunshine.

"My only regret is that I might not see more of Southern California's sunshine."

That is what Miss Pankhurst, the militant suffragette said of her visit here as she went aboard a train for San Francisco last night.

"I know," she continued, "that you have too much beautiful weather here not to be grateful for the essential and refreshing rain when they come, but I did so want to see the sun upon the orange trees and on the flowers. Anyway I've had a beautiful time every minute of my Los Angeles visit and would like to stay a great deal longer than my engagements elsewhere will permit."

DENVER WOMAN SPEAKS TO CAMPAIGNERS HERE.

Declares Her Belief That the Franchise Granted to the Fairer Sex Will Not Directly Affect Wages Because They Are Regulated by the Laws of Supply and Demand.

California women must not hope to set the world afire by winning suffrage. They were warned against hoping for great changes through suffrage by Mrs. Mita Tupper Maynard at a meeting of the College Woman's Equal Suffrage League held under the leadership of Mrs. J. C. Brewer at Hotel Hayward yesterday afternoon.

A few women guests of the hotel, who apparently did not want to vote on a rainy afternoon, were playing bridge at a table in plain view of the suffragist meeting which proceeded to consider the subject in hand with as much earnestness as if the world, the flesh and the devil did not sometimes and irrelevantly intervene.

Mrs. Maynard confessed that great changes in government come slowly and that it perhaps requires twenty years for women to strike a political balance. In Colorado, her home State, the women, she said, have done several things with the ballot, but they have not affected Colorado's complete reformation and they have been voters for a good many years. They have helped to put the State in a fair way of freeing itself from Wall street's complete control of United States Senators from Colorado, but the men of the State have had as much to do with this as the women.

They have elected and re-elected Ben H. Lindsey, she said, and they have secured honest elections in so far as padding and stuffing the ballot boxes is concerned. They did this latter by electing Ellis Meredith, a newspaper woman, as chairman of the election board so that a recount of Denver in the case of a contest showed that only twenty-seven votes could possibly be challenged.

Mrs. Maynard declared that suffrage can not directly affect the wages of women because it cannot affect the laws of supply and demand. The best that women can hope for in this respect is to do what they can to make for better general economic conditions. The outcome of this will be that men and women will adjust themselves more rationally to the laws of supply and demand.

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Burst Blood-vessel in Arm in Last Fight.

Manager Says Wolgast Is Long Route Man.

Ad Wolgast, lightweight champion fighter of the world, accompanied by his wife and his manager, Tom Jones, are passengers on the Los Angeles Limited train on the Salt Lake road and expect to arrive in this city this morning. The train was due in this city yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, but shortly after noon it was reported six hours late.

It left Kelso, Cal., 235 miles east of Los Angeles, about 8 o'clock last night and, owing to washouts and soft track, had to detour around by the Tide-water and Tonopah Railroad to Ludlow and then on the Santa Fe track to Cruero, where it would cross over to the Salt Lake track. At 9 o'clock last night the chief dispatcher of that road stated that he expected the Limited to arrive here about 9 o'clock this morning.

BY TOM JONES.

Manager of Ad Wolgast, Lightweight Champion.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KELSO (Cal.) March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "I could not under any circumstances expect Wolgast to be in better condition than he is now, considering the fact that he has been traveling for some days on the train. The long ride has tired him somewhat but he has stood the trip remarkably well."

"That left arm of his has never bothered him in the least since that first bout with Knockout Brown but in the last bout with Brown, Ad burst a blood vessel in his right forearm in the third round. This was a severe handicap to him as it made his right arm almost useless. However, good nursing has made the arm all right again and I look for no more trouble from either arm."

"He intends to start training immediately upon our arrival in Los Angeles and we will go to Doyle's camp if quarters can be had there. After the domestic bout we will not lose a moment. We will return to New York at once where Wolgast is to fight One-Round Hogan on April 18. If McFarland does not run out again Ad will fight him ten days or two weeks later than the Hogan date."

"After the McFarland fight, if we can get that, Wolgast will take on two or three lightweights if the money inducements are right. Then to the farm for Wolgast and he will stay there through the months of June, July and August and start out again in September."

"The Eastern newspapers gave us the worst of it in both Brown fights but that was no more than we expected. The champion is married and happy and there is nothing on his mind now but the idea of accumulating a snug little fortune for the inevitable rainy day."

"I don't know when he intends to retire but it will not be until he is beaten by a better man. I think this will be impossible for some time to come, particularly over the long route."

"I do not think these short fights of ten rounds decide anything and certainly not with slow beginners like Wolgast or Nelson. Everyone knows how many times Nelson was outpointed in short fights and I do not consider these recent short fights of Wolgast as proving that he is not the champion lightweight of the world."

Survival of Fittest.

PREPARING TESTS ON LIGHTWEIGHTS

ELIMINATION TRIALS INCLUDE FOUR GOOD MEN.

Mike Memic, Johnny Frayne, Kid Dalton, and Johnny McCarthy Contemplated As Opponents—Preliminary Matches Make Good Fighting Cards.

The two following the Wolgast-Memic battle at Vernon St. Patrick's Day will be lightweight elimination tests. Two pairs of lightweights will fight during the first part of April, and the two last part. The winners will then be pitted against each other and the most likely of these will be given a chance to go against the winner of the Wolgast-Memic battle.

The elimination tests should prove a novelty of considerable attraction, and the most direct route to securing a man of championship timber. At present there are a score of likely lightweights scattered about the coast, and a series of fights, more than anything else, will bring forth their latent qualities and show their true merit.

The first card scheduled by Manager McCarry may include Johnny Frayne, Mike Memic, Kid Dalton and Johnny McCarthy. The four good boys, but with the possible exception

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BARNES IS AFTER PETE RICHARDSON

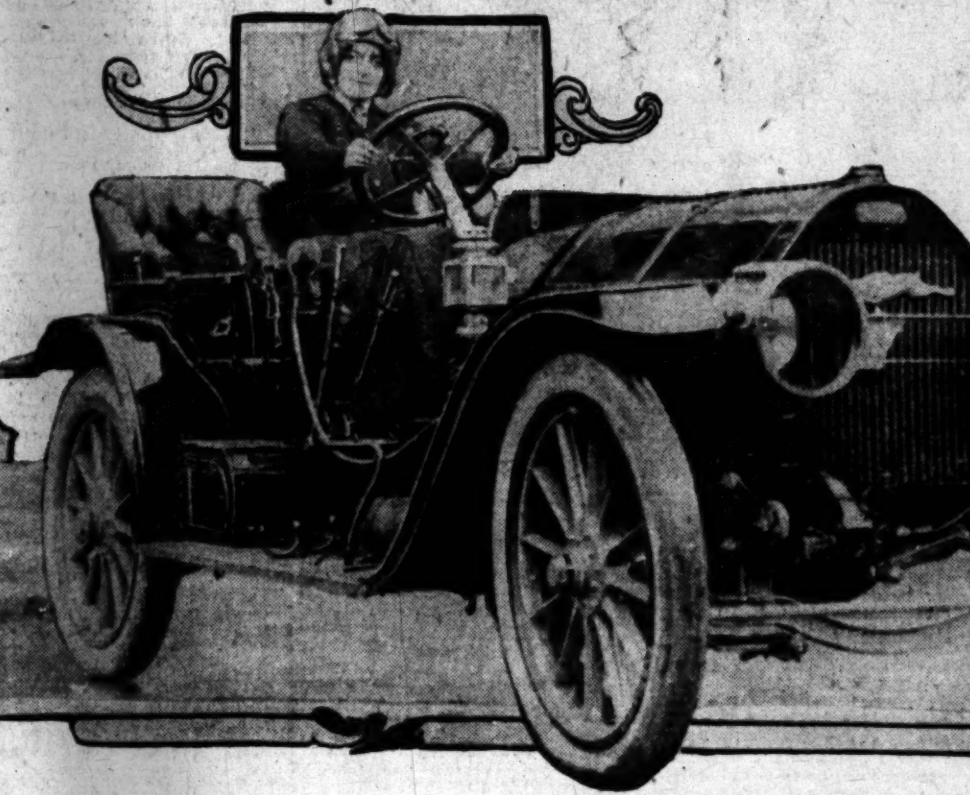
CRACK POMONA POLE VAULTER SHOWS UP WELL.

Sagebrushers and Puritans to Meet Saturday on Bovard Field, U.S.C. in Dual Track Championship Meet of Conference—College Spirit in Evidence.

Cliff Barnes, the crack Pomona College vaulter, and "Pete" Richardson, who does the altitude stunt for U. S. C., each with a record of more than twelve feet, will scrap it out in the U. S. C. Pomona track meet tomorrow for the final supremacy in the pole vault event after six years of the keenest competition, which began back in high school days.

Both are Ventura county athletes. "Pete" came from Santa Paula while Cliff lived at Ventura. Six years ago they met for the first time in a county high school meet. Barnes was only a freshman in high school while Richardson had already had two years' experience in vaulting and as a result he carried off the first honors.

Every year since then, the two athletes have fought for supremacy. Each year the competition became a little more keen. The Santa Paula boy has so far maintained the lead which he had in that first meet. Last year he beat Barnes by going 12 feet four inches



Miss Beatrix d'Essling in the Apperson Toy-Tonneau Stock Car Which She Will Drive.

This young motor maid was out yesterday afternoon in the Apperson and is ready for the big race which is to be held this forenoon on the Van Nuys boulevard.

GRITTY MOTOR MAIDS READY FOR RACE IN TEETH OF STORM.

BY BERT C. SMITH.

IF IT is a human possibility, Miss Bekins and Miss d'Essling will race on the Van Nuys boulevard this forenoon.

In the event that the continued storm renders the Van Nuys course too dangerous, the race will be held some where else.

Both the girls are determined to pull off the race before Miss d'Essling's company leaves town.

near Los Angeles. Rain has interfered with practice. The girls are determined that the storm shall not prevent the race.

With nerves of steel and grit unequalled, the two motor maids are ready for the dash. Caution is necessary, and Martin Bekins and Leon T. Shettler will see to it that the young women take no unnecessary risk, and if it rains hard the match is off.

Slushy roads have prevented the determined girls from getting out in the cars and speeding faster than a mile a minute. This will not prevent them from racing and if the sun peeps from behind the clouds this morning

HOURLY PRACTICE FOR THE ANGELS.

Players Are Well and Happy at the Springs.

Dillon Keeps Them Pegging the Ball About.

Wheeler Tells of Old Times in Other Leagues.

BY LOU GUERNSEY.

The Times Staff Correspondent at Murietta. (BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

MURRIETTA SPRINGS, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Capt. Dillon and his Angel band of ball players had a strenuous workout this afternoon in spite of the disagreeable weather. Every player in the squad, including Harry Deal, the injured first-sacker, donned his uniform and hiked to the garage.

The drizzle ceased for an hour or more, and the boys indulged in outdoor practice for the first time in two days.

Dillon kept the boys pegging the big medicine ball for nearly an hour, and the perspiration rolled off the boys, especially Abbot, Delmas, Daley and Akin, who are still over-weight. The pitchers, ten in all, managed to get in some corking good practice, and Abbot and Grindis were kept busy handling the shots from the mounds.

After the practice Dillon and his men jaunted at a snappy clip a mile over the hills and back to the mineral plunge, where water polo and swimming races were indulged in for half an hour.

Doc Finlay was on hand with the big alcohol rub, and he took them one by one as they came from the tank, and massaged their sore muscles and lame arms.

Several of the players complain of lame arms, but the majority are in fine physical condition.

Today's training was the best the Angels have had since their arrival. When the boys got through their clothes were wringing wet from perspiration, and they hung them around the fires in the laundry house to dry them out.

George Wheeler says that his arm never felt better in early season, and he thinks the sulphur baths and water are responsible.

None of the twirlers complain of sore wings, which is remarkable at this stage of spring training.

Hen Berry telephoned Dillon that he would try to make Murietta the fore part of next week. The Angel magnate is anxious to find out for himself how his hopefuls are faring.

The field is in fairly good condition, considering the heavy rain. One clear

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Sporting Comment

BY THE MELANCHOLY DANE.

decided after much serious thought to try for new records in the 100 and 440-yard races. That's always the way. You just can't keep higher education from running to legs, and there are few modern college boys that don't think Plato and Socrates were bums, because they couldn't do the high hurdles in 17 flat, or play left half on the team. Still, it's a lot easier to be yell leader than to bother with even the first page in the spelling book. No Need Needed.

Jack Johnson, having amassed a fortune, is reported as being desirous of attending school for at least three months. If Johnson has as much sense as a turkey, and that's none, he will beware of an education. He can make a million times as much money with his fists as he can with his head, and that might be a big price and I wouldn't bet that it isn't.

Nothing But Cuts.

An English soccer football club has just paid \$2000 for a crack player. Now this just shows the difference between the game of soccer and the game of football. For all the soccer players in the entire world, "Furthermore, many others think that would be a big price and I wouldn't bet that it isn't."

Probably Need It.

The students of the Phillips-Andover Academy, back East somewhere, have subscribed \$25,000 for a swimming pool. This is hailed as a great feature in eastern sporting life. It certainly is for it will give a lot of good people a chance to take a bath, whether they need it or not.

Can't Locate Him.

Bugs Raymond is said to have done a big lot of work this month at Marlin, Tex., with some new curves. He doesn't need any, for no one in the country has been able to get onto what he has now. If you don't believe it, ask McGraw.

Amateurs Want It.

Baseball players at the Minnesota State fair are to be allowed to play professional ball during the summer without incurring their amateur standing. Other "amateurs" who expect a "cut" out of the gate receipts should remember this. Amateurs are not expected to get the money unless they ask for it.

Baseball—If the Rain Continues.

FROM the log of the good ship Red Sox, March 9, latitude 4114, longitude 9 to 0.—After a two weeks' cruise over stormy seas we awoke on the morning of the ninth to find the sea still stormy. At 8:30 Admiral Carrigan appeared on deck. In keeping with the weather his brow was also clouded. "Zounds! Zounds!" exclaimed the admiral, as he chewed the anchor chain to pieces. "My men must have work." Forthwith the bell was sounded for morning practice and the crew of Boston huskies, rushed from their quarters doing the homp and were soon playing their best game, some choosing stud and others sticking to straight jacks.



WHAT MAY HAPPEN IF THE DINGED RAIN DOESN'T STOP.

BY BO'SUN FABST.

After an hour of work Ensign Engle refused further practice. "There is no variety to this work," he exclaimed. "Here I have been doing nothing but shoving forward. My pulling in muscles are getting warmed up, and so forth with he was transferred to the checker squad, where blue chips cost no more than the white ones.

The day being cold and raw the men had difficulty getting warmed up, and so forth with he was transferred to the checker squad, where blue chips cost no more than the white ones.

The beautiful rain continued to fall. A shout of "Land Ho!" rang through the ship. And true enough, far to the east could be seen the dim outlines of Port Horgan. Changing the course of the good ship Beans we were soon headed for that sheltered little bay at Washington Park.

Here we found Captain Kidd Hogan and his crew preparing for an afternoon's regatta. Quickly giving orders for all men to don bathing suits, we prepared for action.

Home plate and the bases were represented by life rafts and the batter sat on a floating buoy.

Play had hardly started when Third Mate Janvin was seen swimming wildly toward the ship, which was anchored just north of the foul line. The human string bean refused to return, claiming he had been chased by a shark. Admiral Ed Maier immediately sent for the old man of the sea.

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PUNONA DISPUTES DECISION MAKING U. S. C. CHAMPION.

It was decided that the matter should be referred to the Track and Field Championships Committee, with recommendations that Secretary J. E. Sullivan of the A.A.U. should be referred to in the matter.

Very little was at stake in the meet except the prizes offered as the intercollegiate championship is decided separately from the A.A.U. meet.

Capt. J. B. Franklin, president of the Southern Pacific association, in discussing the matter, said that according to the interpretation of Punona should be awarded the perpetual bronze cup, which is the Southern California A.A.U. championship trophy, should go to U.S.C. as the relay race is not included in the regular events provided for in the A.A.U. rules.

Premier would make good, no matter what happened.

Siskford Bixby likes the Isotta best of all. He is satisfied now that he can do some stunts with the big car.

Clyde Leppo is not planning any more tours. He says the Kissel Kar will go anywhere and he is willing to take a chance, but he can't get anyone to go with him.

The woman's race is to start at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Of course, if the rain comes down in sheets, the affair cannot drive. If not, look out for a dash.

H. L. Owsley, manager of the Pacific Coast branch of the Winton Motor Car Company is here visiting W. D. Howard the local Winton man. He says the prospects are great for a big business and is pleased with a large number of cars Howard has sold and is about to sell.

GOTCH IS SCARED.

Dr. Roller, who was Gotch's partner, says Champion Would Be Killed by Hack in a Square Deal.

Dr. B. F. Roller, the wrestler, who for many months was the partner of Frank Gotch, champion wrestler of the world, today declared that Gotch is afraid to meet Hackenschmidt, the Russian Lion, should an unbiased referee give the decision.

"Gotch," said Roller, "is the dirtiest wrestler on earth. He is tricky and treacherous and resorts to all sorts of

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and Hunts Trouble.

spects Plenty But Proof Is
Sadly Lacking.

The civil war has hushed out in the
bank Stock Company beside which
unpleasantness in Mexico is as the
old vapourings of a peevish puffer.
Harley Ruggles blames it to David
Hartford, and Lon Beasley says it
is the fault of Josef Montrose.
Hartford says it is merely the per-
sonality of inanimate things.
Beasley refuses to be interviewed.
First of all, it will be noted that each
of the four persons involved owns, op-
erates, and otherwise is the victim of
an automobile.
Beasley has a Lexington that looks
a yard of light brown ribbon.
Hartford has a Regal that looks like a
young woman out for an airing in a
sward in Winnipeg. Ruggles has a
hatch that is built for five passen-
gers and usually hauls six and an in-
nuendo. Montrose has a Tourist run-
ner which speaks for itself.
Ever since this consternation of gas-
pne contraptions transpired the de-
bate as to the merits of the various
cars have been lengthy, acrimonious
and awfully tiresome to everyone else.
When the present rain started it
seemed the talk stage, and somebody
started something.
Ruggles, plugging out Seventh street
along the tide and a fifteen foot
u-weather, with his tonneau full of
auties and talent, felt something slip,
and his car turned half way around
headed for Pasadena before he
could throw on the emergency. He had
the skidding chains of his left hind
end, and had to swim around and
find it. He declared later that he had
on a certain party, name and com-
mission unstated, taking an undue in-
terest in the aforesaid chain, and he
suggested the removal of the link-pin
of the substitution of a piece of rope,
which soon was in twice.

TURN ABOUT.
Next day it was Hartford who had
been in the middle of the rainstorm
and picked a stone out of his car's hoof,
words to that effect.
Beasley and Montrose got their later
about the same way.
It got so that whenever any one of
the four burbankers started out they
in their diving suits with them, as
if they had no hope of making their next
trip without something going wrong
in the mechanism of their cars.
Ruggles, of course, just some-
thing that looked as if it could
be done by anyone who knew
the mechanism of gas buggies.
But when Hartford was nearing
Union Way and safety there would
be a noise that no automobile ever
makes when it is in good health, and
as if Hartford were a sweating man,
would have said something else than
"Oh, please!"
The contest to see which could do the
most thing to the others' cars with-
out wrecking it became so fierce that
safety has been leaving his in the
rings for several days and Josef never
saw his runabout near the Burbank
Beasley says it is because he doesn't
want to get his car muddy and Mont-



Remember Lottie Kendall?

brilliant and graceful comedienne on whose piquant beauty the entire du-
rability of the old "Olympia Opera Company" was based? Miss Kendall
lived in Los Angeles for such a long time, and played so many differing
roles—varying from comic-opera, prima-donna parts to an Ibsen character
—that she may well be considered a thorough-going Angeleno. She is
returning, featured in "Madame Sherry." The hard-working individual
in whose embrace she is so thoroughly wrapped at the present moment
is Comedian "Billy" Cameron. They are doing one of the spectacular
numbers of the show, the "Danger Dance." However—it's said to be
not quite so dangerous as it looks.

Bowling Congress.

LOS ANGELES IS TO RECEIVE VOTES OF THE DELEGATES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPOKANE (Wash.) March 9.—[Ex-
clusive Dispatch.] The Western
Bowling Congress inaugurated its
sixth anniversary tournament tonight
with only two match games of five-
men teams.
The opening programme was taken
up with formal ceremonies.
Both teams were local. Outside
teams will not appear until Saturday
night, when two Los Angeles fives
will shoot at the pins.
Los Angeles is here already with
seventeen delegates, boasting for the
1912 tourney for their city. From all
appearance they will get it as Van-
couver, which has bid for the bowling
event, is not represented here yet, and

Los Angeles is sure to get a big lead
on the delegates' votes.
Tonight's opening event was started
by the appearance of four of the five
newly-elected City Commissioners,
speakers, music, etc.
A big crowd saw the first ball
rolled down the alleys by Mayor Nel-
son Spratt.
Four teams representing the Na-
tional Guard occupied three of the
new alleys in the big armory.
Roller skating is very popular in St.
Petersburg. There is very little box-
ing, and wrestling is reported on the
decline. There is little fencing. Gym-
nastics is gone in for strongly, with
the German and Bohemian Sokol types
the most popular.

SOCCER ELEVEN INTERNATIONAL.

Germans and Swiss Form
Challenging Team.

European Stars to Tackle
British Aggregations.

Men Have Great Records
Made in Vaterland.

International soccer football will be
played in Los Angeles within a few
days when a team of German and
Swiss players, which is being organ-
ized, will meet one of the local English
or Scotch teams.
P. H. Dedicke, who was official un-
der the South German League for a
number of years, is lining up the
new team. It will include a number of
old stars from Germany and Switzer-
land. One member of the eleven is a
Frenchman so that Europe will be well
represented when this aggregation
meets eleven composed of English,
Irish and Scotch as most of the present
teams are.
For months a number of the athletic
Germans who were particular stars in
"der vaterland" have watched the
Britishers nimbly juggling the ball over
the Praeger Park gridiron. The Eng-
lish spectators who thronged the side-
lines, clapped and applauded but the
"dutchmen" only frown and mutter,
"ach, wat nurr."
Soccer is quite as popular in Europe
proper as it is in the British Isles and
the Germans are reputed as being es-
pecially skillful in the game. For this
reason it seems likely that a real ex-
hibition will be seen when the foreign-
ers clash, with a grudge that has come
up through history for a stimulus to
action.
For several weeks the Germans and
Swiss have been practicing in vacant
lots. The team has scheduled no games
as yet, but is to line up for a practice
exhibition next Sunday. Dedicke, who
is managing the team, has already ap-
plied for admission into the local soc-
cer league so that the new team will
likely occupy a prominent place among
the football matches of the future.
Among the old country stars who
will form a nucleus for the new team,
A. E. Rheinhold, a Swiss player, is the
star of the aggregation. He played a
back position on the F. C. Winterthur
team of Switzerland. This was one of
the best teams in the country.
Alfred Schmidt, another of the local
players, was a member of the F. C.
Kickers which won the championship
of Germany in 1907. This team toured
nearly all over Europe and defeated
every team played.
Eugen Heinemann and W. Veuillam-
ier, the latter a Frenchman, were also
prominent among the star players
about several years ago. P. H.
Dedicke, the manager of the team,
played for the F. C. Wiesbaden ag-
gregation in Germany.
The new team is confident of trum-
phing any of the British teams which
are playing in the city at present. The
players are rapidly rounding into form
and getting back some of the old class,
and steam, and was momentarily re-
legated to the minor class.



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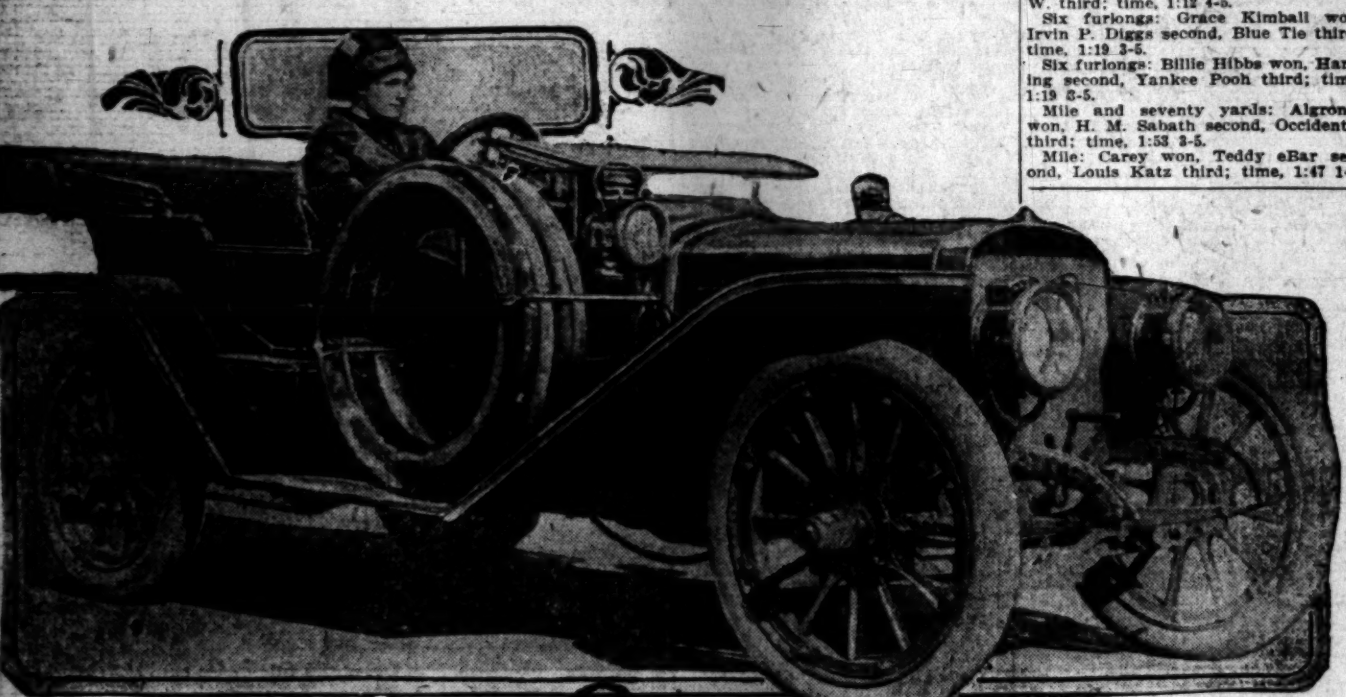
PREPARING TESTS.

(Continued from First Page.)

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legated to the minor class.
Mike Memsic, a brother of George,
of late has been showing considerable
class in the lightweight division. If
Wolfgang falls to come through with
his agreement to meet George on St.
Patrick's Day, Mike and Johnny Mc-
Carthy may be substituted. It would
prove an interesting go and give local
fans a good gauge on Memsic's ability.
In the elimination card under prepa-
ration it is likely that Frayne and
Memsic will be fitted against each
other. Frayne has fought some good
fights. Among his more recent was a
beating at the hands of One Round
Hogan. Frayne, however, has a griev-
ance against Owen Moran to his credit,
and his friends allege that when he fought
Hogan he was in a poor state of phys-
ical health.
Manager McCarthy is considering
Johnny McCarthy and Kid Dalton for
the second bout, and Sullivan and
Couture, feathers, for the third, on
the first April date. McCarthy's stock
recently went skywards when he
knocked out Morrie Bloom in com-
paratively easy fashion. In Dalton,
however, he would have a hard nut
to crack. The Kid has been taking
the best care of himself during his
lengthy layoff and is confident that he
could whip the San Francisco boy.
The two first bouts would be for fif-
teen rounds each, while the one be-
tween Sullivan and Couture would be
for ten. The three bouts would be
heartily appreciated by the fans and
give them forty rounds of high-class
entertainment.
Jimmy Austin is about town with a
chip on his shoulder. He is anxious
for Tom McCarthy to give him another
chance at Young Chico. Jimmy al-
leges that if Chico gets within a few
pounds of the 115 mark he will give
him the best beating of his life.

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Miss Ruth Bekins in the Speedy Briarcliff Lozier Ready to Race.

This is the car the nifty young co-ed intends to drive today in the match race with the Apperson on the Van Nuys boulevard.

GRITTY MOTOR MAIDS.

(Continued from First Page.)

d'Essling. Oh, I do hope we can
start."
Just as defiant and just as con-
fident as Miss Bekins is the pretty
singer, who has kept her place dur-
ing every engagement of "The Ar-
cadians" at the Mason this week. She
is prepared to start and her car is
ready.
MISS D'ESSLING.
"Do I want to race? Of course, I
do, and it is my one ambition to win
from the Lozier," said Miss d'Essling
last night. "I know the other show
girls will be anxious to have this race
come off and I don't want to disap-
point anybody. It has been announced
and the public expects us to decide
this question. Yes, I am ready and
will be so disappointed if we cannot
start."
Unless the morning is clear, there
is little likelihood that the machines
can reach the Van Nuys boulevard by
way of Culbenga. The rain has made
the pass so muddy that it would be
foolhardy to send a string of auto-
mobiles out to the Van Nuys boule-

other places where the race can be
held.
The Apperson looks fit for a speed
dash. Shettler has the car in the
garage and it is ready to start at a
second's notice. Miss d'Essling has
practiced enough to be sure she can
drive. She has shown her grit and
has the muscle and the will to win.
The Apperson, according to Shettler,
is good for seventy-two miles an hour.
Of course, that is fast and the trouble
is that Miss d'Essling is willing to
drive it to the limit. She will cut
out a pace that is hard to follow, but
she has an opponent who can go some
also.
The Lozier looks fit and with Miss
Bekins at the helm it is a fast car
that will win from the Briarcliff. The
Lozier boosters are sure that Miss
Bekins will win and it is a fact that
she has a strong chance to be the motor
champion today.
SHETTLE'S DEFL.
"You can say for me," said Shettler
yesterday, "that the Apperson will win.
If it is clear this morning the car will
be sent out with the understanding
that the race is to be held. I'm ready
and I am sure the Apperson will win.
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is faster than the stock Lozier. I
promise to start the car, which Miss

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Speed in Realty Residence Deal.

City Millionaire Purchases a Home.

Thousand Cash Is for a Mansion.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING

SALES QUICKLY AND MOVES IN.

Speed in Realty Residence Deal.

City Millionaire Purchases a Home.

Hundred Thousand Cash Paid for a Mansion.

For rapid realty transfers, yesterday, a Kansas City millionaire, who had been in the city for some time, purchased a home on the northwest corner of Wilshire boulevard and Wilshire street, for a hundred thousand cash. The property was owned by the late John D. Edwards, and was sold by his estate. The new owner is a well-known business man, and is expected to move into the new home shortly.

or we can't get anyone else. Very few firms around here will take them. Many of them apply to work at other trades than their own. Thus they are entitled to their wages, plus a weekly sum from the unions, if they are strikers in their own trades.

"This system of double payment is a graft, and having two sources of income makes the men lazy. They are apt to leave at any time, too, if their strike is settled. We want to run our labor problems to suit ourselves, and a union man is always subject to annoying calls from the outside.

"The city is full of floaters, men who have no desire to get ahead. They will work a few days and remain idle for weeks. This is made possible by the many cheap lodgings and eating-houses in Los Angeles. There is a good deal of misdirected charity; it isn't a good thing for loafers to be able to live too cheaply, because then they never will work. Summing the thing up, we shall have a hard time to get all the men we shall be asked for, as soon as the rains let up. There's plenty of work for the men who want it."

Richard A. Stevens, one of the oldest traveling salesmen on the road, is registered at the Hollenbeck from London. He has for half a century been touring the world in the interest of the Mayhew-Todd & Company, pen makers of England.

Causes Thrill. FIND DYNAMITE UNDER HOUSE. EXPLOSIVE IS DISCOVERED IN THE BASEMENT.

Police Inquire Into the Case But Do Not Gather Any Facts Which They Consider of Great Significance—No Fuses Nor Caps About the Stuff—Place Vacant.

"How great a matter a little fire kindleth" might have been very clearly demonstrated yesterday had a box which had been thrown among the kindling in the basement of the house at No. 604 East Twenty-first street been used to start a fire.

The box contained fourteen sticks of dynamite. The police do not know where the explosive came from, but believe it was delivered at the house with a large number of other boxes which had been sold to be used as kindling wood. They consider the find of no



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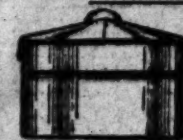
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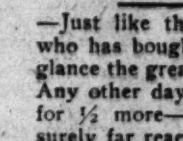
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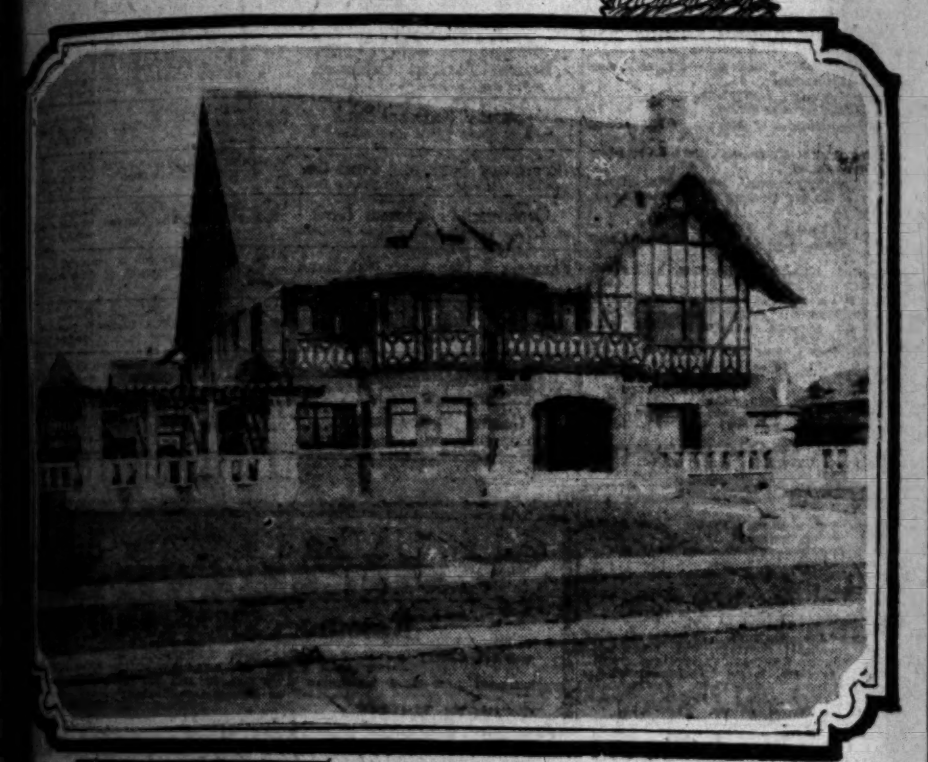
—Just like the picture—Every woman who has bought wash tubs will see at a glance the great value in this tub at 50c—Any other day in the year they will sell for 1/2 more—This Inauguration sale is surely far reaching in its values—

Save 1/2 On Wash Boards 25c



—And they are those famous "White Hen" boards that women prefer above all others—They're light, they're durable, they're clean—A strong feature today, 25c each—

—And here are other wash day articles—at prices that will surprise many—
Double Wash Benches \$1.25
Heavy Sleeve Boards 15c
4-foot Ironing Boards 65c
Bass wood Curtain Stretchers \$1.25



Wilshire Boulevard Mansion Sold Yesterday for a Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Charles H. Sharp of Kansas City at noon, and occupied by him in the evening.

Girl Tells.

TRAIL BY RAIL ENDS IN WEST.

ALLEGED CAR THIEVES TAKEN INTO CUSTODY HERE.

Chicago Detectives and Local Plainclothes Men Arrest Trio Suspected of Stealing Goods From Freight Cars in Lake City—Faint Trace Followed by Elimination.

On the charge of having stolen about \$20,000 worth of goods from freight cars in Chicago railroad yards, Frank Goodel, John Flynn and John Busch were arrested in the Santa Fe yards yesterday afternoon by Detectives Jones and Boyd of the local department and Detectives Eagen and Cahill of the Chicago police department. The men are now in the City Jail awaiting the arrival of extradition papers. The men have refused to return without the latter.

According to Detective Eagen, who was detailed to search for the trio several months ago by the Chicago police department, the men secure employment in railroad yards and then await opportunities to break into the freight cars. About sixteen cases are pending against them in Chicago, in the majority of which the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company appears as complainant.

As far as was learned yesterday, no charges of theft can be made against the men by the local police, as there is no evidence that they have broken into cars in the Los Angeles yards.

How Eagen learned that the men were wanted in Los Angeles, he related by him yesterday afternoon. In brief, it is that by a process of elimination in which several thousand men employed by the B. & O. railroad yards were taken into consideration, it was discovered that thefts did occur on nights the trio were not at work. Upon their leaving the city the thefts stopped. He had meantime looked up their records and he found, he said, enough to warrant pursuit across the continent.

Having decided upon the identity of the trio, his next step was to learn where they had gone. Several weeks of hard work failed to result in a single clue. Then Eagen delved again into the records and he learned that Goodel had been in love with a certain young woman. Within a few days the young woman noticed that a great amount of money was being paid to her. She learned many points about her lover and she liked him better than Goodel.

"Where is Goodel now?" Eagen asked.

"I'll never tell."

"Oh, come on, do."

"Never."

"Get a trade last for you."

great importance and the investigation has been closed.

D. Lorenzo was moving into the house yesterday. He discovered that one of the gas pipes was faulty and he sent for a plumber. Mrs. M. Normandy, living at No. 2110 Adair street, owns the house. She said it has been empty for about three months and she believed the pipes might have become leaky, so did not investigate before the plumber arrived. A short time after going into the cellar to look the pipes over, the plumber hurriedly ran upstairs and said he had found a box of dynamite.

Lorenzo accompanied him into the basement and the report of the discovery was confirmed very easily, for the box was partially open and one stick had rolled out and been broken. From the appearance of the dynamite it is believed to have been in the cellar a long time.

No caps nor fuses were found. The box was among others which had apparently been used by a former tenant for kindling. Mrs. Normandy stated last night that her former tenant was named McWilliams, but she did not know his first name or where he had gone after leaving the house. He is believed to be a traveling salesman.

RUNAWAYS HURT THREE.

Rigs in Collision and Frightened Animals Cause Injuries to Trio of Persons Who Are Thrown Out.

Four runaways, which occurred in different parts of the city yesterday afternoon, resulted in three persons being slightly injured. They were taken to the Receiving Hospital, where their injuries were dressed, and they were then discharged from the hospital.

A horse driven by J. R. Stutka, No. 449 East Forty-third street, was frightened about 3 o'clock when another runaway horse drawing a junk wagon crashed against it on North Main street. Stutka's horse ran away, throwing the driver out of the carriage. He was bruised on his right hip. The owner of the horse which started the second runaway was not learned by the police.

George Pappas, a vegetable peddler, was thrown from his wagon and cut on the head when his horse became frightened at a piece of newspaper at Second and Lake streets. Pappas lies at No. 215 North Main street.

Sam Fisher was thrown from his wagon near the Salt Lake depot and he was severely bruised on his left side.

NEW TRIAL ORDERED.

The District Court of Appeals yesterday reversed the decision of the Superior Court in the suit of W. C. Turrey against Henry P. Lantz, administrator of the estate of Mary Elizabeth Crocker. Turrey brought an action to quiet title to the Rancho San Rafael and was given judgment. The higher court ordered a new trial on the ground that there was insufficient evidence to support the verdict in the lower court.

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BODY OF NEW-BORN FOUND IN AN OULCLOTH.

Package With Evidence of Crime Discovered on Pico Street Yesterday Afternoon—Marks as if Made by Violent Blow With Hammer.

Carefully wrapped in a large piece of oilcloth, a newly-born baby, whose head bore evidence of having been struck a severe blow with a hammer or other blunt instrument, was found near the fence, on the north side of Pico street, between Main and Hill streets, about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The coroner has taken the remains in charge and the police will make an immediate investigation.

The child did not appear to have been dead more than a few hours, but when questioned none of the residents in that vicinity remembered having seen any person drop the package. It was in plain sight of all persons passing on the sidewalk, but was not discovered until late in the afternoon, when a man who gave the name of Nick Brown, living in the 2000 block on West Jefferson street, passed. His eye was attracted to the package and he unrolled it. The ghastly discovery sent him hurrying to a telephone to communicate with the official inquirer into mysterious deaths.

The blow in the child's head dis-

figured its features, removing any possibility of a facial peculiarity being discovered. There were no clothes of any kind about it, and the little body had been soaked by the rain.

Despite the fact that at present no clues are in the hands of the police, they believe it possible that the parents of the child will be found by a passer-by. The fact that it was in plain sight of all who passed was commented upon by the police.

WHAM! DEM CHICKEN'S GWINE?

Chicken Rancher Loses Them at Rate of Hundred of More Nightly. Watches But Gets No Trace.

J. L. Ryan, who lives just outside the city on what was, until a few days ago, a chicken ranch, does not believe in spoons. All the same, he would like to know what sort of an agency it is that takes chickens out by the wholesale from under his nose without a sound and leaving no trace.

According to the report which Ryan made yesterday evening to the police, he has been losing chickens and turkeys by the hundred or so a night within the past week. He bought his place two weeks ago, together with about 600 fowl, of which he says 200 have since been stolen. He sat up all night to watch the place, and saw nothing and heard nothing—but all the same, there were a hundred of the poultry that failed to answer to their names the next morning.

Ryan keeps a dog which he says, with some pride, is a savage one on thieves, but, unfortunately, it has been raining so hard of late that Towser has had to stay on the porch out of the wet, and has not been able to catch any.

Report of the Condition of the Citizens National Bank At Los Angeles, California At the Close of Business, March 7, 1911

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$5,217,212.91
Overdrafts, Secured and Unsecured	13,636.38
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation	1,000,000.00
U. S. Bonds to Secure U. S. Deposits	1,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.	961,947.20
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	10,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	77,500.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	\$1,021,024.56
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks	302,973.84
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	665,474.45
Checks and Other Cash Items	60,893.23
Exchanges for Clearing House	230,936.15
Notes of Other National Banks	31,565.00
Fractional Paper-Currency, Nickels and Cents	7,984.42
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$1,016,608.00
Legal-tender Notes	50,000.00
Redemption Fund With U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	3,387,459.65
	50,000.00
	\$10,718,856.14
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock Paid In	\$1,000,000.00
Surplus Fund	500,000.00
Undivided Profits, Less Expenses and Taxes Paid	118,951.14
National Bank Notes Outstanding	1,000,000.00
Due to Other National Banks	\$ 946,665.06
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	677,280.91
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	1,170,769.82
Dividends Unpaid	45.00
Individual Deposits Subject to Check	4,351,931.37
Demand Certificates of Deposit	753,137.34
Certified Checks	44,394.80
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	148,138.34
United States Deposits	1,000.00
	\$8,093,362.64
Reserved for Taxes	6,542.36
	\$10,718,856.14

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ss.

County of Los Angeles, ss.

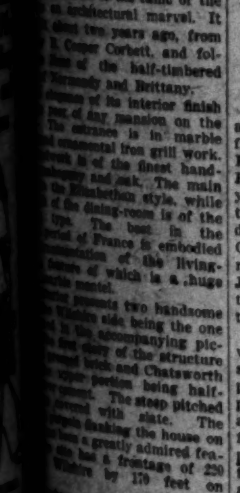
I, Wm. W. Woods, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, 1911.

C. E. FISH, Notary Public.

WM. W. WOODS, Cashier.
Correct—Attest: R. J. WATERS.
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Before beginning treatment, I want to say to you that I will not make a complete examination of your system, and if you are afflicted with any of the above named diseases, I will give you a complete course of treatment, without charge, to all who are afflicted with the above named diseases.

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LOST HILLS IS GOOD DISTRICT.

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General News of Interest From Oil Fields.

The Lost Hills district, according to oil men who have spent much time in the field during the past winter, presents a vast improvement over the conditions that existed when the first discovery of oil was made in October of 1910. Because of the finding of oil at a shallow depth in the discovery well of the Lakeshore Oil Company, many persons who went in to the district early were not equipped for deep drilling.

Others, including the Associated and the American Oilfields, made their entry into the supposed new oil El Dorado prepared to combat any conditions that might exist. A good many oil operators believed that even out on the flats oil would be found at a shallow depth. It is now believed that some of the wells will have to reach a depth of at least 2500 feet before oil is encountered. The logs of wells that have gone beyond a depth of 1000 feet indicate that the drilling is almost all points of the district will be cheaper than putting down holes of the same depth in other California fields.

The well of the Phelps-Cheney Oil Company on the northeast quarter of section 25, 26-21, the deepest well in the township and probably in the entire field, was drilled in record time because the management went into the field prepared to meet all conditions. The company has a fine showing of oil and expects very soon to bring in a good well. It is now preparing to shut off the water and put the well in proper shape to become a producer.

The Ward Oil Company, northeast quarter of section 22, 26-21, is now getting things in readiness for a standard drilling rig to prove up its property. The company has been drilling for some time with a portable rig, but will discard it for one that will do the work.

Martin & Dudley are still working on No. 1 on the northeast quarter of section 18, 26-21, and claim to have every indication of soon reaching the pay sand. Lakeshore well No. 2 is reported to be a satisfactory well. They are now spudding in well No. 3 on this section.

The operations of the American Oilfields Company have been delayed on section 34 because of the necessity of discarding the portable rig and substituting a standard.

Up to this time San Francisco and Coalinga oil men have taken the greatest interest in the Lost Hills district, but there are indications that Los Angeles men are getting ready to move in that direction.

STANDARD IS MOVING.
PRODUCING DEPARTMENT.
The producing department of the Standard Oil Company is being moved this week from San Francisco to Bakersfield, where offices will be shared jointly in the new Bakersfield building with the California Natural Gas Company. F. H. Hillman will be in charge of the Standard's business and the new arrangement will be quite convenient to the oil men of the northern fields who have business with the big company.

Branch offices of the producing department will be maintained in San Francisco and Los Angeles. Mr. Hillman will have unusual authority in the way of making new contracts and leasing ground.

IN NORTHERN FIELDS.
GETTING GOOD RESULTS.
There is being obtained a good production from well No. 1 of the Madison Oil Company in the northern portion of the Kern River field. The shipments during January showing an average of about eighty barrels daily. This is a good record for this district. Since well No. 1 of the Zenith Oil Company was placed on the pump a good production has been maintained. A spur track is being built from the railroad to the well, and shipments will soon begin.

LADY WASHINGTON WELL.
IN THE SUNSET FIELD.
It is believed that well No. 2 of the Lady Washington Oil Company, on the property of the Yellowstone Oil Company, section 6, 11-23, Sunset field, will be a big one. The drillers have succeeded in getting past the parted casing, which was the cause of several months' delay, and a considerable amount of oil was encountered. The next few days should determine just how big the well is and whether or not it will be finished now or drilled much deeper.

Well No. 1 is being cemented and the drill will soon be sent down to determine the value of the sand. It is being hoped by some that the grout will be penetrated. Operators are being conducted by the Canadian Sunset Oil Company under contract with the Lady Washington.

FIRST CIRCULATOR.
STEAM PUMP IN CANYON.
(Special Correspondent of The Times.)
WHITTIER, March 8.—The Anchor Petroleum Company, whose territory is in Savage Canyon, east of the city, is putting in on its lease a steam pump with which it expects soon to have in operation a circulator.

This will be the first circulator used in the Whittier oil fields, and the company expects it to eliminate most of the trouble experienced for the past month, with rocks that puncture the casing. Circulators are used extensively in the Bakersfield and other oil fields. They prevent water from rising in the casing, forcing it down and thus forming a sort of mud wall between the outside of the casing and the bore. This keeps the rocks in place and prevents them from crushing the casing.

Break in Pipe Line.
The break in the pipe line of the Associated Oil Company, caused by some mysterious force, is still bothering the officials. The break is at a point where the waters of Warthen Creek completely cover it and it was necessary to get the ends above the water before any attempt could be made to repair the break.

United's Producing Wells.
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House Cleaning Needfuls

Articles that save you extra and unnecessary labor low priced for Friday.

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A Friday Special

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Floor Brushes with long handles. Small .50c
Medium .65c. Large .75c
"No Dust" makes sweeping carpets and floors easy; 10 pounds for .35c
Bissell's Carpet Sweeper—light or dark finish. \$2.25
Wool Brushes, with long handles for ceiling. \$1.25
Dust or Counter Brushes—13 inches long, for .25c
Liquid Veneer for .23c
Brass Polish only .10c
Dustless Dusters for .25c
Floor Wax, 1-lb. cans. .45c

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Big Sale of Japanese China

Those who attended the last sale of this pretty china will be glad of an opportunity to get other pieces equally as low priced as the ones then on sale. Note how varied is the assortment listed here.

Tea Cups and Saucers; decorated; ovoid shape; set of 6 .50c
7-pc. Berry Set; long bowl and 6 individuals; decorated .65c
Teapots of decorated Jap china; 4-cup size; priced at .20c
Mayonnaise Set; 2 pieces; deep blue; decorated; price .25c
17-pc. Tea Set; decorated; green effect; special at \$1.50
After Dinner Coffees in dainty decorated designs. Each .8-1-3c
3-pc. Tea Set; tall shapes in light designs; priced at .65c

Sugar and Creams; Jap decorated; pair .50c
Hat Pin Trays; very pretty; price each .49c
Bon Bons especially low priced at .10c
Hair Receivers; several styles at .10c

Oatmeal Dishes that you'll like. Each .10c
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